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ANTIQUITATES
ASIATICÆ
Christianam Æram
ANTECEDENTES;
Ex Primariis MONUMENTIS GRÆCIS
Descriptæ, Latinè versæ,
NOTISQUE & COMMENTARIIS
ILLUSTRATÆ.

ACCEDIT
MONUMENTUM LATINUM ANCYRANUM.

Per EDMUNDUM CHISHULL, S. T. B.



LONDINI,
Typis GUIL. BOWYER, MDCCXXVIII.

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Reverendissimo in Christo Patri ac D^o D^o

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Divinâ Providentiâ

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CANTUARIENSIS,

TOTIUS ANGLIÆ

Primati ac Metropolitano.

OPTANT hæc, PATER REVERENDISSIME,
exolescentia alterius orbis Monumen-
ta in sacratissimum tuum sinum tempe-
stivè omnia confugere; ut illic ab injuriis tem-
porum, quibus annos fere bis mille conflictata
sunt, quietam sibi spondeant, nec obnoxiam
invidiæ, æternitatem. Olim principibus viris
optimè

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optimè de patriâ meritis, Servatoribus & Benefactoribus urbium dedicata, nunc unum haberi ambiunt pietatis, prudentiæ, æquitatis, quâ Tu Ecclesiam regis, obsequii, amoris, reverentiæ, quâ Te Ecclesia prosequitur, monumen-
tum. Adit Te nunc humillimè quæ semper Tibi candida inserviit; quæ successu nuper op-
timò prolata est, Te uno duce & auctore, ad ostendenda jura Ecclesiastica, pura puta **A N T I-**
Q U I T A S. Errorum, quotquot orti fuerint, peri-
culosiorum præsentissimum semper habitum est
remedium, --- *antiquam exquirere matrem.* Hanc
ergo, **A M P L I S S I M E A R C H I P R A E S U L**, proprio suo
habitu decoram, sine fuco, sine velo, è sæculo-
rum tenebris eduxisti. Conditâque utilissi-
mâ illâ Historiâ, doctâ, Deus bone! & laborio-
sâ, luce jam clariorem aperuisti & **M A T R I S E C C L E S I A E E T C L E R I A N G L I C A N I S T A T U M.** Ita,
omnium instar orationum, fulgentia illic vetera
monumenta nubes atque inania dispellunt; fis-
tuntque ante oculos præsentem, quæ obruta pæ-
ne jacuit, veritatem. Quare pacatâ per Te nu-
per, quam olim etiam strenuè defendisti, & qui-
escente nunc florentissimâ, sub Te tanto Præfu-
le,

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le, Ecclesiâ, non dedignaris aliquando & illa
quoque vetera recolere, quibus Historia sëpe
dubia confirmatur, sëpe fucatè tradita corri-
gitur, sëpe etiam sepulta atque perdita restitu-
itur: Numismata dico, & Inscriptiones. Subiit
igitur cogitatio, an hæ meæ humiles vigiliæ,
Musis, fateor, humanioribus dicatæ, à sacris
tamen haudquaquam alienæ, aliquà Tibi, PATER
ERUDITISSIME, gratæ, atque acceptæ esse potue-
rint. At spém illam nimiò plus ambitiosam con-
traria mox modestia repressit. Ut enim rei te-
merè oblatæ veniam non omnino desperassim;
de præstítâ tamen, judicium in Te acerrimum
reformidavi. Revocarunt interim aufugientem,
quæ in omni vitâ Tuâ eminus conjuncta elux-
erunt, summâ cum doctrinâ candor, cum sum-
mâ prudentiâ moderatio. His unicè confisus
REVERENDISSIMÆ TUÆ PATERNITATI religiosè
dedico, consecroque, *Antiquitatum Asiaticarum*
seriem, si non peritè quidem, at industriè certè
adornatam. Tu modo tenue munusculum pro-
ptiâ, quâ excellis, benignitate bonus favensque
accipe. Hoc ego optatissimo honore ægritudi-
nem & infirmitatem meam; hoc meam inertiam

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conso-

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consolabor. Deumque Opt. Max. non obtestari
desinam, ut diutissimè Te Regi Optimo, & Reg-
no Britanniæ, consiliarium, Ecclesiæque, quam
beasti, Anglicanæ Patronum, atque Præsidem,
conservet. Offerebam humillimè mense Febr.

A. D. MDCCXXVIII.

Reverendissimæ Tuæ Paternitatis

Filius, Servusque Obsequentiissimus,

Edmundus Chisb.ull.

P R A E F A T I O.

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ANNUS nunc agitur decimus fere septimus, ex quo consti-
tueram in lucem edere Græcarum Inscriptionum syllogen:
jamque impetratâ Almæ Matris celeberrimæ Universitatis
veniâ, novam eas ad marmora Oxoniensia appendicem destinave-
ram. Harum aliquam ipse partem ex Oriente mecum attuleram;
partem aliam mecum communicaverat amicus & eruditus vir, fato
postea functus in Britannâ, Antonius Picenini, M. D. Coirensis.
Is enim, A. D. 1705. Smyrnæ cùm forte esset, illustrissimo Guil.
Sherard L. L. D. Anglorum in eâ urbe negotiantum Consuli, cur-
cumituro septem Asie Ecclesiæ, comitem se adjunxerat. Opportu-
nè autem; tum cùm hæc prelo parabantur, moram mibi justissimam
injecere ab ipso Consule eruditissimo missæ per humanae literæ. His
ille “ amicè gratulatus est, pervenisse quæ eo itinere repererat
“ in meas quas optaret manus; valde interea cupere, ut auctiora
“ longe & dñiora in reipublicæ literariæ usum proferrentur; ergo
“ ultrò ad me nunc mittere alia multa excellentioris notæ, quæ,
“ Anno 1709, propè Teum & Stratoniceam descripserat; non des-
“ perare se quin eadem loca, capto tempore, reviseret, & excepta
“ festinans Apographa ad ipsos iterum lapides exigeret; porro id
“ impensè agere ut conquerantur sibi undique Inscriptiones; acce-
“ pisse nuper unam a Sigeo, rarissimam certè & antiquissimam,
“ ΒατεοΦηδὸν exaratam; eamque, cum cæteris quas haberet omnibus,
“ quum primum in patriam reverteretur, curæ se meæ atque fidei
“ commissurum.” Reversus ille est bono favente numine, & plau-
dentibus literaris omnibus, Anno 1718, neque diu postea liberrimè
mibi in manus tradidit messem sanè amplam & fœcundam; non
jam appendicis alicujus, at justi operis materiem. Clara erant apo-
grapha, accurata ipsius manu fideliter excepta, neque pauca eo-
rum (Anno 1716, comite tunc viro eruditissimo, nunc Archidiacono
Cantuariensi, Rev. Sam. Lisle S.T.P.) ad suos quæque lapides exa-
minata. Cumque uno omnia volumine, in Bibliotecæ Harleianæ
ornamentum, pulchrè transcripta essent; hoc etiam mibi indulxit,
liberè vertendum & consulendum, HONORATISSIMUS COMES OXO-
NIENSIS, pro summo, quo bonas literas prosequitur, amore & favore.

Ita

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Ita parata aliquandiu jacuit incondita literata moles. Restabat, ut hæc grammaticè criticèque legerem, distinguere; explicarem, faciemque eis magis familiarèm, præbodierno Græcarum literarum habitu indinerem. Quid facerem? Herculeus incumbens morbus, podagra, chiragra, panagra, ut expertus loquitur Erasmus, à labore me ecclesiastico prope jam depulerat. Et propendebat erga has difficiles amoenitates dudum eis exercitatus & oblectatus animus. Opus itaque aggredior, ruri domique clausus, non nisi modicâ librariâ supellestile instructus, sæpe in anno morbo enecatus, sæpe tamen, Dei Opt. Max. misericordiâ, ex tot repetitiis mortibus, acrior eo ipso, atque alacrior resurgens. Desecissim tamen, spemque omnem inglorius abjecissim, nisi manu me verè medicâ levâasset, din jam ore & opinione omnium, nunc regio titulo, Archiater, doctissimus D. RICHARDUS MEAD. Tum verò sacrum illud proverbium longè verissimum sum expertus, ferrum exacuit ferro, & homo amicus exacuit faciem amici sui. Ita ille me hortatu, ille consilio, ille favore semper præsentissimo recreatum, pergere & lætum suscepit operis finem sperare jussit. Quippe parum est huic tanto Aesculapio, quanquam id quidem sit in se quam maximum, corporis malis occurrisse, & quicquid in homine est mortale procul, quantum potest, à morte semovisse. Adebat ille ubique per orbem eruditum opifer; animi & ingenii bona unus hodie Mæcenæs fovet, tuetur, hospitat; præchetque amicâ facilitate, & se, & mensam, & museum suum; geniale illud ψυχῆς, & liberale, si quod alias, lætētor.

Jamque obstendus es, amice Lector, ut primum hoc volumen non ex brevitate molis, sed ex monumentorum in eo comprehenso- rum dignitate & Majestate æstimes. Inscriptione Bostrophâ Sigeâ quid brevius, quid simplicius? Et tamen uno vetustatis nomine tot & tam egregiis usibus abundat, ut omnem pænè retegat literaturæ tum nascentis, tum adolescentis historiam: mutatam à Simonide, & Palamede, adiectam à Cadmo Grammaticam; elementorum, quibus vox humana pingi demum, figi, & traduci cœpit, in Græcia novitatem; eorundem in Hierosolymâ sanctâ, ejusque viciniâ, antiquitatem. Quæ quidem omnia non obscurè patere credimus, ex perpenso bene brevi digrammate, quo Naturæ atque Orbis alphabetum novâ methodo concinnavimus. Tabulâ istâ, quâ Teiorum servantur Diræ, nihil veterius novit orbis eruditus, ex Simonideo alphabeto

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alphabeto ductum. Elegans Jovis Urii Bosporani epigramma æquat antiquitate Alexandri M. tempora, & à Cicerone feliciter illustratum, Ciceronem non infeliciter collustrat. Jam verò cetera hujus voluminis ita tribus illis ætate appropinquant, ut quod si eorum recentissimum superet tamen æram Christianam. Eadem materiâ ita splendidâ excellunt, ut jure intra manus eruditorum, & in Bibliothecis instructioribus, locum sibi aliquem ambiverint. Non enim in his agitur de ignotis urbium magistratibus, de Athletis roties victoribus, de loco & jure sepulchralium; quæ quidem longè est copiosior lapidum inscriptorum seges. Legis hic autographa Regum, populorum, communitatum acta; Macedonum in Syria, in Ægypto, in Pergamenâ dominantium monumenta; succedentium his tum triumvirorum, tum senatus Romani decreta; religiosissima duarum urbium, Sigei & Stratoniceæ Psephismata; Didymei oracula splendorem; legationes Teiorum, responsa Romanorum, Ætolorum, Cretensium; atque obiter etiam horum inter se, sub eâdem lege & societate, coenuntium Fœdera. Quamvis enim ex præscriptâ mihi regulâ Antiquitates tractem Asiaticas, multa tamen, ab his nomine aliena, re cognata, nostrorum illustrandorum gratiâ, tum edita, tum inedita hoc arcesso: hæc, ut mature jam tandem in usum eruditorum prodeant: illa, ut lucem priore justiore revisa & recognita accipiant. Hæc inter, duo cæteris præminent monumenta, Adulitanum à loco dictum, & Ancyranum. Quæ quidem re ipsa diversissima non possum tamen non inter se committere, fortuito nescio quo colore alterum invicem alterum referentia. Sunt enim maximorum duorum Principum, Ptolemæi tertii & Augusti Cæsaris, rerum suarum gestarum scripti à seipsis indices, uterque ab utroque in extremâ vitæ clausulâ. Ambo etiam in dissipissimis terrarum paribus diu olim latitantes lucem demum, post multa elapsa saecula, simili planè sorte recuperârunt.

Hæc omnino singularia, & primæ certè notæ monumenta tam multiplex ubique ornat, & tam spectabilis rerum copia, ut acceptâ luce ab Historiis, lucem eis vicissim non contemnendam prebeant. Vocabula non raro exhibent, quæ frustra in operibus onomasticis, & lexicographorum classibus requiras. Immò linguarum nobis quarundam specimina conservant, quas apprimè erat è re literariâ & scivisse, & diligentius observavisse. Harum due sunt Cretico-Dorica & Ætolica; in quibus nativas non paucas linguae

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Latinæ causas & origines Grammaticorum filii recognoscunt. Præter has verò Macedonica, haud unquam libris commissa, at post Alexandri M. victorias, usu vulgari didita, aliquas in his lapidibus & voces, & phrases retegit; quæ antea in lxx-virali tantum versione, aut Sacro Novo Fœdere, repertæ pro singularibus & novi commatis locutionibus perperam sunt habitæ ab eruditis.

Hæc & his similia necessario erant Notis subindicanda, nonnumquam etiam & commentariis illustranda. In quo tamen ab ambitionis omnibus & topicis literaturæ ornamenti temperavimus; nihil nisi necessarium, & ex re natum, novum plerumque aut novè productum, aut de communī proprium quodammodo & peculiare redditum, nostris hifœ chartis illinentes. Sic sedulò quidem, sed & cautè justèque admodum curavimus, ut ANTEQUA hæc reposita, emor tua, sepolta, ad humiorum literarum, & ipsius etiam studii Theologici incrementa detorquerentur. Multa autem è notatu necessariis consulto nunc distulimus, ut observata ejusdem generis, iterum atque sœpius recurrentia, comodè sub eodem capite, in Lexico, quod daturi sumus, alphabetico tradantur. Faveas interim his imperfectè præstitis, desque veniam sepe agrotanti, sepe timenti agrotare, antiquariæ bujus eruditioñis studiose Lector. Hoc enim si benignè feceris, pergam bono cum Deo; neque cessabo à promisso opere; sed decurrat in Musarum stadiis, uno quo potuero modo,— animus sine corpore velox.

ERRATA habes in calce operis correcta; quibus adde Pag. 137. in Allariotarum Epistolâ l. 2. pro ωλη, legendum Βωλη, pag. 145. βωμὸν. in appendice pag. 2, 3. ΚΗΡΙΑ. Cætera his similia bone condonabis Lector. In ipsis autem Monumentis siqua se- cius aut insculpta aut descripta videri possint, alteri ea volumini reservantur. Ex gr. p. 110. l. ult. casu secundo posita πΡΕΣΒΕΤΤΑΙ ΠΕΡΔΙΚΚΑΙ. Dubiumque pag. 90. Sitne TOT ΤΡΙΤΟΤ τε μετὰ Μηνοδόχου, an ΘΕΟΚΡΙΤΟΤ τε Μηλαμηνοδόχου.

ORNATISSIMO DOCTISSIMOQUE VIRO
GUILIELMO SHERARD LEGUM DOCTORI
SOCIETATIS REGIÆ SODALI
ANGLORUM SMYRNÆ NEGOTIANTUM
CONSULI NUPER CELEBERRIMO
LISTRATORI ORBIS ERUDITI
FACILE BOTANICORUM PRINCIPI
HERBARUM LAPIDUM NUMISMATUM
FELICISSIMO IN ORIENTE REPERTORI
INSCRIPTIONEM HANC SIGEAM
IPSO POTISSIMUM CURANTE
ERUTAM E DIUTURNIS TENEBRIS
ET LUCE BRITANNICA DONATAM
SUMMA QUA PAR EST OBSERVANTIA

D. D. D. Q. E. C.

Eorum quæ observata & notata sunt ad *Inscriptionem Sigeam SYLLABUS.*

IN Troade, tribus à Sigeo promontorio mil-
liaribus, quo loco olim stetit urbs Sigeum,
jacet hodie prægrande uoce impedale in ariñor,
vetus proculdubio tetragona capite avul-
so stñtun, inscriptionem habens eodem quo
Solonis leges versu Boſtropho exaratnm,
linguā mixta Lesbiā Atticāque, literis ve-
ro quot & quales ante Simonidem fuerunt,
formam illam Archaicam præ ſe ferentibus,
quæ primū Etruscis & Latinis cum Æoli-
bus & Ionibus communis fuit. pag. 1. 6,
24.

Occurrit illic H Ionica, ut in Hebreā Lntinā-
que serie litera numero octaua, §. II. &
Latinarum inſtar, vocales E & O, ſub u-
na & eddem illa figurā, quantitatē diſpa-
rem celantes, §. III. OY syllaba abbinc
ubique exulans per literam O antiquā ſim-
plicitate pingitur. §. IV. Atque hæc qui-
dein omnia ipſo illo vetuſto ſcriptionis ge-
nere, cuius exemplum præuobilis olim criticus
Herodes Atticus in villa ſuā Triopīa revo-
centum extare voluit. §. V. VI.
Versus ille Boſtrophus Periandro & Soloni, du-
obus Græciæ ſapientibus, quorum ille Sigeum
adjudicavit Atheniensibus, hie vero ean-
dem Archon occupavit, familiaris fuit.
Unde non valde mirum, ſi occasione tali cir-
cea eadem tempore nonnunquam in ea urbe
reperiretur. §. VII. XVI. Accedunt his
alia etiam indicia vetuſtatis; interpuncta
nempe voce diſterminantia, §. VIII. &
in voce ΜΕΛΕΔΑ-INEN vetus ille Æolum
biatus; in quo eorum digamma nunc intel-
ligi ſolebat, ut in ΑΡΓΕΙ-ΟΣ, nunc etiam
pingi, ut in ΔΑΦΙΟΣ, cuius etiam posterio-
ris notabile exemplum, vox AFVTO hoc eſt
& w̄tā, in Deliacā Tourneſortianā inſcriptio-
ne extans, in animadverſum nuper Montſau-
conio, nunc primū oſteuditur eruditis, §.
IX. neenon vicarium ejusdem Æolici F,
Græcum T, Latinum V, notatur, §. X.

Hæc omnia cæperat exoleſere quadringtonis ante

Christum annis, ex lege novæ illius poſt Eu-
clidem Archontem Grammaticæ. Ejusque
rei recens hæc exemplum indigitatum eſt,
retentatis in ſuperiore parte lapidis verſibus
ejus ſex primoribus. §. XI.

Percurritur hæc occaſione priſcum ex quo due-
tn eſt Inſcriptione Alphabetum Græcum: XII.
Genioque ejus penitus perſpetuo, diognouſ-
tur in eo primariae quædam diſtinctæ à ſe-
cundariis literæ: quarum in lingua Hebræa,
Græca, Latinæ, Etruscæ idem eſt reſpectivæ
& locus & potestis & figura; ut in con-
cinnato ad id diagrammate monſtrantur.
Cum verè quinque numero ſecundariæ
recentia ſint neque neceſſaria poſteriorum
magiſtrorum reperta; ſepiendecim alia pri-
mariae, ſola illæ voei huinanæ articulatim
neceſſariae, à Cadmo & Phœnicidū ſunt tra-
ductæ; ita novæ quidem in Græcia ut nul-
la ei vox tunc eſſet quæ nō ſcribere nū ſe-
legere exprimeretur, at in Terra Sanctâ ita
primitus antiquæ, ut Dei iſſius donum
ſingulare, immo inventum eſſe videantur.
§. XIII. XIV. XV. Subſiuntur bis va-
riii illi apud variis ſcribendi modi, interque
eos Boſtrophus pro raro & incommodo ha-
bendus, §. XVI.

Inſcriptione deuīum metrice proposita §. XVII.
expendenda veuit ejus diſtio & materia:
viz. ſtata ſub Phœnicidū, cui dicta eſt, per-
ſonæ ſpelatatores alloquens, §. XVIII. mox
ipſe Phœnicidū dedita à ſe douaria recen-
ſens: 1. Crateram, vas vinarium. 2. Epi-
ſtalon, cui imponenda erat crux. 3.
Hθμὸν, ſive ad vinn repurganda column. eu-
jus uſus in N. Test. Matt. xxiii. 24. ſignatus
in noſtrâ tamen vernaculâ versione penitus
intercidiffe viſus. §. XIX. Sequitur de
cura & tuteln operis, §. XX. & de Æſopo
artifice, qui nomen ei adſcripſit, conjeſtura.
§. XXI. In Appendix autem quædam
iterum plenius retrahantur.

INSCRIPT-



INSCRIPTION SIGEA.



AS sit, juvante Deo, spectatissimum totius Asiae monumentum orbi literato tradere. Jacet illud in Troade visendum, inter Sigeum promontorium & amnis Scamandi campum, ipso illo in loco, ubi, ⁽¹⁾ lapidibus ab eversâ Trojâ comportatis, Mitylenai è Lesbo insulâ profecti, Sigeum urbem condidere. Horum mox æmuli Athenienses novâ urbe conditores pepulere:

⁽¹⁾ Οὐδέν δὲ ἵχος σώζεται τόποις εἰκότως. αἴτε γὰρ ἐπεποθηκόντων τὸ κύκλῳ πόλεων, καὶ τελέως ἡ κατεστατημένων, ταῦτα δὲ ἐν βάθεων αἰναῖς ἐγμαυλόντων, οἱ λίθοι πάντες εἰς τὸ ἔκτεινα ἀνάληψιν μετανέγκησαν. Αὕτη καταναλλα γὰρ φασι τὸ Μήτυλον εὖ τὸ ἔκτεινα λίθων τὸ Σίγεον διπτεχίσαι. i.e. Trojæ antiquæ ne quidem vestigium etiamnum su-

pereft. neque mirum. spoliatis enim, at non penitus deletis circumvicinis urbibus, ipsa verò funditus eversâ, omnes ejus lapides ad illas instaurandas sunt avecti. Archæanam item sane Mitylenicum è Trojanis lapidibus Sigeum aiunt extruxisse. Strab. Geogr. lib. 13:

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moto circa eam ⁽¹⁾ bello, quod Periander Corinthius, Cypseli filius, electus arbiter diremit. Ab eo igitur Atheniensibus adjudicatum est Sigeum sexcentesimo quarto, ut schola Chronologorum statuit, ut verò colligit ⁽²⁾ Usserius, quingentesimo octogesimo nono ante Christum anno; Archonte tum Athenis Solone, qui quas suæ Reipublicæ condidisset ⁽³⁾ Leges novo tabularum generi βεργοφηδὸν inscribi voluit. Sub eâdem postea ditione videtur hæc urbs mansisse, ad Alexandrum usque Magnum, ejusque in imperio successores. His vero novum Ilium magno studio efferentibus, Sigeum prorsus ⁽⁴⁾ dirutum est ab Iliensibus; & Strabonis jam temporibus desertum jacuit. Revixit tamen seculis Christianis, & sub metropoli Cyzicenâ Episcopatū honore floruit. Nunc villa tantum paupercula, quam Turcis primùm Jeni-bissari, mox Gaurkoi nominâsse placuit, religionem adhuc Christianam, & loci memoriam servat.

Has inter rerum vicissitudines, ingenti cuidam saxo sua ipsius moles atque pondus saluti fuit. Loco illud olim intra Trojæ mœnia nobilitatum, deinde illinc avectum à Mitylenæis, & Sigei

(1) Ἐπολέμεον γῳ ἐκ τε Ἀχιλλῆς πόλις ὁρμήντος καὶ Σιγέων, χρέον ἔτι Συχνὸν, Μίλυλην ναιοῖ τε καὶ Αἴθωσις — i. e. Diutinè enim pugnatum est Mitylenæos inter & Athenienses, ex Achilleo impetum facientes & Sigeo. Μίλυλωντος δὲ Αἴθωσις κατίλλαξε Περιάνδρῳ ὁ Κυψέλης· τέτω γῳ διατηῆ ἵπελεπτόν. Κατίλλαξε δὲ ἀδειά νέμεσθε ἀμφοτέρων οὐ ξεστοί — Σιγεων μὴν τοῦ τέτω εἰρηνέο θεού Αθηναίου· i. e. Mitylenæos verò & Athenienses Periander Cypseli filius delellus arbiter conciliavit; bēc quidem ratione, ut utrisque quod possiderent tribueretur. Atque hoc modo Sigeum in potestatem devenit Atheniensem. Herod. lib. 5. cap. 94, 95.

(2) Vid. Usserii Annales ad Annum ante Æram Christianam 590, 589.

(3) Didimus Grammaticus tractatum de tabulis Solonis, τελὶ τὰ ἀξόνων τὰ Σόλωντα, teste Plutarcho edidit. Atque ejusdem auctoris, ex eo forsitan tractatu, non ignobile fragmentum extat, unde tabulas istas βεργοφηδὸν inscriptas suisse discimus. Ὄτι βεργοφηδὸν ἡσαν οἱ ἀξόνες & οἱ κύρσεις γελεφυμαθόντος δεδήλωσεν Ἐυφορείων ἐν Αποκροδῷ. i.e. Veribus quodammodo arato-

riis scriptos suisse axes & cyrbes, Euphorion in Apollodoro prodidit. Vid. Suidam & Harpocrationem in σάτωθεν νόμῳ.

(4) Sigei urbis, ejusque jam extantis, situm sic innuit Herodotus, libro nempe quarto, Σίγεων τὸ θῆρι τῷ Σκαμανδρῷ nomi-nans. De eâdem verò tanquam suo jam tempore eversa Strabo, Mela, Plinius sunt loquuti. Strabo scilicet lib. 13. oram ab Abydo Troadem versus relegens, μῇ δὲ τὸ Ροΐτειόν ισι τὸ Σιγεων κατεπαστρήν πόλις, καὶ τὸ ναϊσθμον, Εὸν Ἀχαιῶν λιμνού. Post Rhatem verò est Sigeum urbs diruta, naviumque statio, & Achivorum portus. Iterumque κατεπαστλα δὲ τὸ Σιγεων Εὔρος τὸ Πάτερα απεθεῖσαν. i.e. à novis Iliensibus parum ei fidentibus dirutum est Sigeum. Parilli modo & Pomponius, lib. 1. cap. 18. Hic Sigeum fuit oppidum, bēc Achivorum fuit bellantium statio; hic ab Ideo monte dimissus Scamander exit. Plinius itidem in descriptione Troadis; Scamander amnis navigabilis, & in promontorio quondam Sigeum oppidum, dein portus Achivorum.

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in Prytaneo collocatum, Græculis nunc Christianis, ante fores templi otiantibus, sedile præstat. At nullum non honorem meruit, quod, bis mille & trecentos annos, concreditam ejus lateri Inscriptionem custodierit; quâ nulla in toto orbe spectabilior, neque genuinæ unquam antiquitatis certioribus indiciis claruit. Primus hanc Britanniæ ostendebat Botanicorum Princeps, cæteraque rârâ eruditione celeberrimus, Guilielmus Sherard, juris utriusque Doct. Jussu enim ipsius, consulatum Smyrnæ tum gentoris, Homerus, Dragomannus Græcus, bonâ eam fide atque diligentia exscriperat. Postea eandem vidit, exscripsit & depinxit reverendus & eruditus vir, Samuel Lisle, S. T. P. qui, mihi in illâ curâ jucundissimâ successor, Anglis Smyrnæ negotiantibus à sacris fuit. Et hujus verò & illius apographa, omni ferè apice inter se invicem congruentia, duas in eodem marmore inscriptiones Græcas, utramque, dextrorsùm sinistrorsùm, undecim versiculis exarata, multarum insuper literarum inusitatos ductus, vocesque à se invicem punctis distinguitas, exhibent. Porrò mihi hunc eundem lapidem secundâ curâ iterum versanti, ab altero erudito successore, reverendo Bernardo Mould, supervenire amicæ literæ, unâ cum schedis propriâ ipsius manu pulchre & ad amissim pictis. Inde minuta quædam certius edoctus, & de quibusdam dubitate jussus, quæ suo quæque loco indicabuntur, jam tandem integrum, qua potè est, monumentum, & pleniorem in lucem desero. Interea tam insolitæ literaturæ exemplari non incommodè præfigendum duxi priscum illud Græcum, quale in usu esse cœpit, statim post Trojana tempora, alphabetum.

Primum. Alphabetum Græcum.

A - C D - E - L - Φ - R - Ζ - Y
Α Β Γ Δ Ε Ρ Ι Η Θ Ι Κ Λ Ν Ρ Ο Π Ρ Ζ Τ Υ Φ Τ
- - Δ - - - - - - - - - - - - R Σ - Υ - -

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More igitur, modoque, in sequenti tabulâ expresso, Hermæa ista statua Phanodici spectatores videtur alloqui, Sigei in Prytaneo eo tempore locata, quo priscum alphabetum Græcum literis solummodo constitit Cadmeis, & Palamedeis; locum jam tum servantibus & Ælico digamma, & Ionicâ veteri aspiratâ; sed non adhuc inventis à Simonide vocalium longarum formis η & ω ; ut neque ⁽⁶⁾ veris ejus duplicitibus consonantibus ξ & ψ . At non paucis post hæc inscripta annis, nempe post admissas Simonideas literas, credibile est aut Prytanum aliquem, aut alium, cui lege id liceret, refinxisse partem Inscriptioñis; & sex priores versus in, quot ante inscriptos viderat, undecim numero dilataſſe. Exarantur illi certè in eâ, quæ opportunè vacua ſuit, parte lapidis ſuperiore: ſed nova poſt Simonidem Grammatica posterius adjectos arguit. Immò ob mutatam, poſt ereatum monumentum, Sigei urbis ditionem, è Lesbiā in magis Atticam conversa eſt Inscriptio; &, ad vetuſtiora illa explananda, vox una atque altera palam novata cernitur. Utriusque autem Inscriptioñis hæc erit ratio, ſi ad ſequioris literaturæ normam tum in ſcribendi genere, tum dicendi redigantur: Id quod Homero, Hefiodo, Alcæo, cunctisque ante Simonidem ſcriptoribus, mutatâ jam Grammaticâ, evenit.

Φανοδίκη.	εἰμι.	τὺς
ξέρμοιχαττός.	τὸς πρόκο	
ηπιάς.	καγγώ.	κράτηζε.
καπιστράτου.	καὶ.	ἡθύ
οὐ.	εἰς πρεψήνειον.	ε
δωκα.	μνῆμα.	σιγεῖ
ευσι.	εσι.	τι.
ῳ.	μελεδαίνειν.	* εω.
σιγειεῖς.	καὶ.	μ' επο
ησει.	ό αισωπός.	καὶ
εἰ αἰδελφοι.		

Φανοδίκη.	
εἰμι.	τύρμοιχ
ξέρμεσ.	τύς.
πρόκονυη	
ηπιάς.	κρητηζε
α. δε.	καὶ.
εποι.	ὑποκ
ηθύητοιον.	κ
μελεδαίνηον.	ει.
ειδῶκεν.	σιγεῖ
ευσιν.	

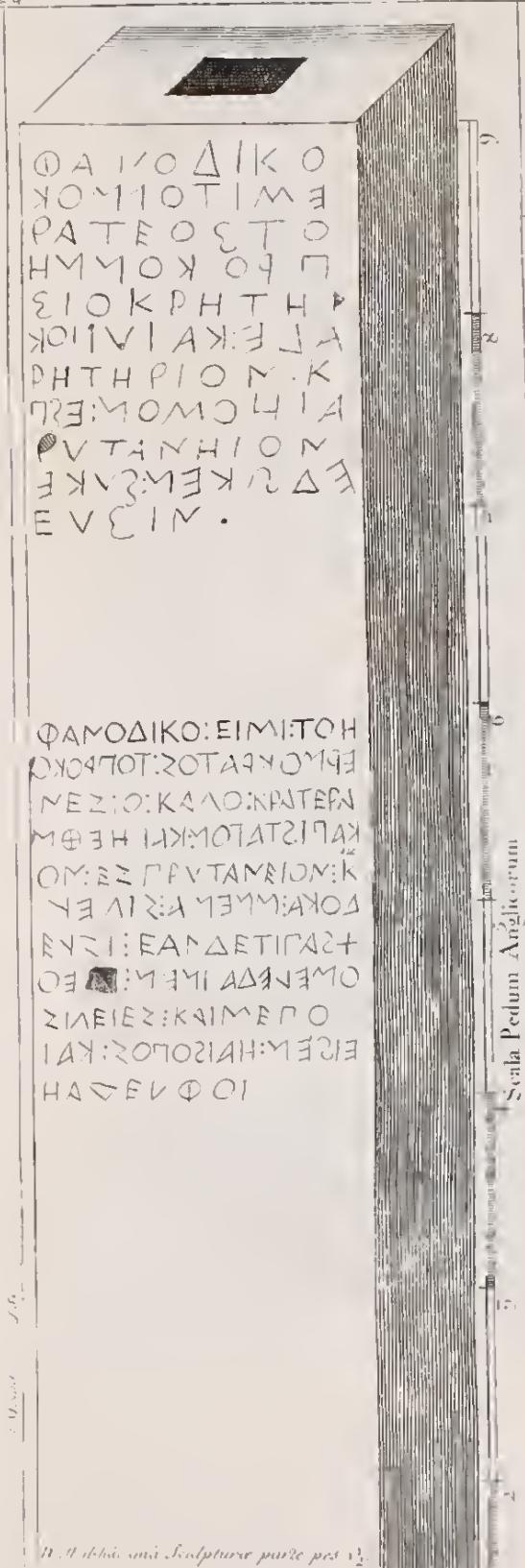
⁽⁶⁾ Vide quod inferius ad Sect. XII. no-

randum veniet, de Z literâ, pro Simonideâ falsò à multis habitâ.

* εω. ſic nempe, ſi ſtet — εω, ut vocis ιερώ pars. Aliter, δε ω, i. e. δε ὡ legen-

dum; aut ſimpliciter ἡ, de quo vide Sect. XX. & tria in ſequente Tabulâ Apographa: Nec-non aliud Dom. Vandervecht ΜΕΛΕΔΑΙΝΕΝ — EO.

LAPIS SIGEUS VERA, QUATUORDECIM JACET, FORMA ET MAGNITUDINE.



Scriptum est Strasburgi specimen
Baroli monumentis veterum
Fig. XCII.

HABEAT ESSER FENCHCE

Tubula Cagabine Specimen
Gratere Reg. ex. Lm. xxv

CAVITYES SECAVITUR

Sexta apographum. I. Homer, Graec.
OMEVADIAHNE-EO

Sexta apographum. I. Lister, Tr.
OMEVADIAHNE-EO

Sexta apographum. B. Mould, I., II.
OMEVADIAHNE-EO

Liturum in Lapis. Siglo
vera forma et magnitudo.



Vetus et Antiquus statutus Hermarii Status



In Tarantinum nummo G. Sizano.

Omnibus affinis Dacissimo Viro RICHARDO MEAD, M.D.
Reg. Med. Lond. Collegij, et Societas REG. Soc. Meritissimo
hanc Tabulam summe observantie ergo, et gratitudinis.

D. D. D. Q. E. C.

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*Phanodici sum, filii
Hermocratis Procone-
fii. Et ego Craterem
& Crateris Basin &
Colum ad Prytaneum
dedi memoriae ergo Si-
geis. Si quid verò patiar
curare * me jubebo
Sigeos. Et fecit
me Aësopus atque Fratres.*

*Phanodici
sum, filii Her-
mocratis Pro-
conesii. Cra-
terem vero &
Hypocraterium
& Colum ad
Prytaneum
dedit is
Sigeis.*

En, Lector, Inscriptionem, nec ductu longam, nec insigni aliquâ materiâ præ cæteris notabilem; at criteriis certè grammaticis, antiquissima illa tempora testantibus, omnes quascunque alias post se facilè relinquentem. Quæ autem & qualia ista fuerint suo nunc ordine notabitur: Observatisque primùm quæ ad elementa Inscriptionis attinent, postea dictionem ejus & materiam breviter excutiemus.

I.

PRIMO igitur necesse est ut in legentis oculos incurvant antiquissimâ illâ formâ signatae literæ, A, Γ, Δ, Θ, Λ, Μ, Ν, Σ, Χ, Υ: è quibus duæ Palamedæ dictæ, Θ nempe & Χ, primâ illâ & vetustâ quæ inventori placuit, figurâ sunt conspicuæ. At cæteræ multò vetustiores Cadmeas se facilè fatentur; & formam à Phœnissâ vix leviter mutatam gerunt. Quod ad Γ attinet, & Λ, & Σ; comparent hæ quidem more Attico exaratæ, in duobus illis monumentis, huic nostro, & pretio & raritate, proximis, ⁽⁷⁾ quorum specimen eruditissimus D. de Montfaucon, e Museo Baudelotiano, tantâ cum laude protulit. Eadem verò hîc Sigei nunc ad dextram nunc ad sinistram

* Aliter, curare me oportet, O Sigei: D. Galland eratæ sunt. — Hæ autem inscriptiones temporis notam præferunt; ambæque eratæ sunt tempore Peloponnesiaci Belli. Prima verò statim post Cimonis egregii Atheniensium Ducis mortem, annis circiter 450 ante Christum natum, posita est. Vulgaribus illa typis ita legitur: Ἐρεχθίδης. Vide ἐν τῷ παλαιῷ ἀπίθæτῳ ἐν Κύπρῳ, ἐν Αιγαίῳ, ἐν Εονίᾳ, ἐν Ἀλιεῖσιν, ἐν Αιγαίῳ, p. 134.

(7) Vid. Montfauconii Palæographiam Græcam lib. 2. cap. 4. Nibil (inquit ille) vetustius adbuc in marmoribus repertum est binis Inscriptionibus Atbeniensibus, Ionico veteri charæctere conscriptis, quæ ab illustrissimo D. Marchione de Nointel, Regio in aula Constantinopolitana Oratore, Atbenis, operâ

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versat, Æolicum magis usum & characterem sapiunt. Tales sunt certè, quales ⁽¹⁾ Etrusca servant monumenta, quæ ignotâ lingua Æolicâ, & Græcis inversis literis, sinistrorum scripta, Eugubii olim & Perusiae in Italâ eruta fuere. Illa etenim cum his nostris si quis diligentius conferat, videbit statim, in linguis tam disparibus, miram quandam elementorum cognitionem. Ipsissimæ enim insitatem literæ, cum geminata illâ vocum interpunktione, in utrisque similes occurunt. Utraque scilicet testantur Æolicarum olim gentium in diversa migrationem: Hinc in Italiam; ubi ⁽²⁾ lingua Æolica, inter Opicam, Etruscam, Umbram, penitus sepulta, postea emersit in Romanam: illinc in Lesbon & vicina Asiaz; ubi à doctissimis Poetis lingua eadem exulta & ornata floruit. Æoles verò recentiores è Mitylenâ urbe Lesbiâ profecti novam iterum coloniam in Troadem deportârunt. Unde toti ferè ⁽³⁾ regioni dialectum suam, adeoque Sigeo ab ipsis condito, sine omni dubio, intulere.

II.

PROXIMAM Inscriptioni laudem Ionica vetus aspirata, in eâdem toties repetita, non immeritò subministrat. H inquam aspirata; vocalis istius longæ vicem non adhuc gerens, sed octavum in alphabeto locum, ut n Hebræorum, utque H Latinorum occupans; ejusque adhuc retinens testimonium, quod ab eo usque tempore inter numeralia octo denotaverit. Eandem itaque aspirationem tum olim lectioni præstítit, quam Grammatici recentiores per uncinulum maluerunt exprimi. Antiquorum hoc censebat proprium sub Marco Imperatore ⁽⁴⁾ Convivator ille Athenæi: Et cla-

(1) Vid. Gruteri Corpus paginis CXLI. & CXLV. & conferantur notanda illic monumenta cum Etruscorum veterum sepulchris, editis à Petro Sanctio Bartolio, Fig. XCII, XCIII, XCIV, XCV, XCVI. in Thesauro Græcarum Antiquitatum Gronoviano, Vol. XII. pag. 74. &c.

(2) Vid. Dionysii Halicarnassensis Antiq. Rom. lib. 1. cap. 90. Ρωμαῖοι ἢ φωνὴ μὴ ἔδει ἀκριψεῖν βάρεσσον, εἰδὲ ἀπηγίστριας Ἑλλὰδα φθίζοντι, μικρὸν δέ τινα ἐξ ἀμφοῖν, ἵνεισιν ἢ παλαιῶν Αἰολίσ. i. e. Sermone Romani loquuntur, non ad extremum barbaro, neque perfectè Græco, sed diverso, ex utriusque mixto, majorem partem Ælico. Adde ex

Athenæo lib. 10. cap. 6. ubi Ρωμαῖοι, inquit ille, πόλια στὸν Αἰολεῖς μιμέμφοι, ὡς ή, καὶ στὸν πόνον τὸ φωνῆς. i. e. Romani omnino Æolum imitatores, ut etiam ἐ accentu vocis.

(3) Strabo lib. 13. oram Troadis maritimam describens πὸ παλαιὸν (inquit) οὐδὲ τοῖς Αἰολεσσιν λῶ τὰ παλαιά. ὥστε Ἐφοροῦ σὺν οἰκτῇ παταρῃ τὸ θυτὸν Αἰεύδεις μέχει Κύριος καλεῖν Αἰολίδα. i. e. Olim sub Æolenibus ista ferè omnia fuere; adeo ut Ephorus totam illam ab Abydo, Cumam usque, oram non vereatur Æolidia vocare.

(4) Vid. Athenæi Deipnosophist. lib. 9. cap. 12. Οἴμου ἢ η ἡ γῆ Η σειχεῖς τυπώσα-

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ra rei exempla (ultra lapides Baudelotianos, & HEKATON vulgo observatum) ΗΥΨΑΣ, ΗΙΜΕΠΑΙΟΝ, ΗΙΣΜΕΝ, proferuntur, ex antiquis nummis, ⁽¹²⁾ a præstantissimo Spanhemio. Quâ ille freatus autoritate, contra omnia librorum omnium exemplaria, Ἰσμήνη & Ἰσμηνίας aspirari debuisse docuit. Ideoque & nobis nunc idem de voce Ήθυδη, teste tanto lapide, affirmabitur. Hoc ipsum certè, unus è grammaticorum scholâ, Græcus ille Apollonii scholiastes disertè monuit: Quippe cui lapideam hanc grammaticam propriis fortasse oculis usurpâsse contigit. Quid verò? Apud Henricum Stephanum, judicem cætera acutissimum, abreptum tunc numero contradicentium, fidem non invenit. At postliac certè in classe Lexicographâ Ήθυδη jure optimo aspiratam geret. Sed de vocibus ΗΙΣΟΠΟΣ & ΗΑΔΕΛΦΟΙ non est cur idem sentiamus: Quia hæ ex articulis ὁ & ὅι mediante synalœphâ sunt enatae. Quæ interim felicitas, Cadmeum illud elementum quater in hoc uno marmore repertum iri, cùm tota haec tenus penus antiquaria tam pauca ejus exempla suppeditaverit!

III.

EST & suum adhuc pretium monumento, quod E & O vocales unâ semper figurâ, &, seu breves seu longæ fuerint, sine ulla variatione monstrat: id quod ad minimum ætatem Inscriptioni asserit ⁽¹³⁾ Euclide Archonte Atheniensium, si non & ⁽¹⁴⁾ Simonide poëta melico, priorem. Grammaticam enim jam mutaverat Simonides, aut quicunque is alter fuerat qui E longum per H, O longum per Ω, primus signare docuit. Et novitatem illam miro passim consensu Iones adoptabant, post quingentesimum & tri-

Θεοὶ τὸν παλαιὸν δαστῖν· διόπερ ηγέρωνται· σηδὸν πάντων τὸ δασωμένων ὄντας παντὸν γεγένθεσι. i. e. in eâ sum sententiâ veteres per elementum H densum spiritum signâsse; ideoque & Romani in singulis vocabulis densiore spiritu prolatis anteponunt H.

⁽¹²⁾ Vid. Spanhemium de præstantiâ & usu numism. Antiq. Dissert. 2. p. 95. *Alia veterum illorum nummorum qui — extra Atticam eusi, ratio babenda est: in quibus illud H non literam ἡτα, sed aspirationis notam, sicut in Cadmeo Græcarum Literarum Alphabeto, ubi ἔποντες vicem demum præstiterunt, continuo arguit. Tales utique antiqui Hime-*

ræ in Sicilia nummi, qui non IMERA vel IMEPAIION sed HIMEPAION & HIMEPA, cuiusmodi apud Parutam vides sunt inscripti; quingentis proinde ac supra fortè ante Christum annis. Addc in Selinuntiorum in eâdem Siciliâ nummis ΗΥΨΑΣ pro ΥΥΑΣ — & extra Siciliam in Bœotia oppidi Iymenes nummo ΗΙΣΜΕΝ apud Goltzium; Tab. XVII.

^(13, 14, 15, 16) Ad illustranda singula loca quæ hisce cifris insigniuntur, adducenda est Alphabeti Græci Historia ex Glossographis & Scholiaistis decerpta. Horum is maximè audiendus qui Euripidem enarrans in Phœnissis y. 688. *Σαινε* cefimum

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celimum ante Christum annum. Unæ solummodo Athenæ legis prætextu restitere: unde factum ut Cadmæ literæ non raro apud historicos sub Atticarum nomine celebrentur. Sed tandem ⁽¹⁵⁾ exemplo Samiorum, Archonte tum Euclide, receptum & Athenis fuit, autoritate publicâ, Ionicum illud recens Alphabetum. ⁽¹⁵⁾ Sami illud adornaverat Callistratus, & post reperta Cadmi, Palamedis, & Simonidis, in eam quæ nunc obtinet, normam atque numerum redegerat. Exolevit ex eo tempore per universam Græciam grammatica simplex, & Cadmæ proxima, succedente illâ alterâ quæ ⁽¹⁶⁾ post Euclidem & rata & nominata fuit. Et rata,

*Σοὶ νῦν ἔλεος κίταρ, voces Σοὶ ἔλεοι non in recto plurali, sed ex more veteris scripturæ, in dativo singulari legit. Γερφον (inquit) σῷ νῦν ἐκγόνῳ κίταρ.] "Iv ἥ, τῷ ἐκγόνῳ σῷ τῷ Κάδμῳ καλλίσταν τ γέλοε δὲ τῷ περὶ τὸν δέχτων αὐτούς. εἰπεν Αρχοντος ὁ Αθηναῖος Εὐκλείδης, μήπω παντοῖον φέρεταιν, τοὺς βεργάτους ἀντὶ μακρῶν ἐχεώντος, τῷ οὐτι τῷ δὲ τῷ περὶ τὸν δέχτων αὐτούς. εἰπεν Αρχοντος Εὐκλείδης, μὴν νοήσαντες δὲ τοι τοῦ περὶ τὸν δέχτων γερφον καὶ δεῖ μετατεθῆναι τὸ οὐτι τὸ περὶ τὸν δέχτων αὐτούς, i.e. Scribatur Σῷ νῦν ἐκγόνῳ κίταρ, non jam Σοὶ ἔλεοι: ut sit sensus, Cadmo illam progenito tuo (non, Tui illam progeniti) condidere Error verd à principio est obortus. Euclide enim Athenis Archonte, cùm nondum inventæ longæ literæ fuerunt, brevibus longarum loco utebantur; ē nempe loco ἡ, ἡ ὅ loco ἡ. Δῆμος igitur adjecto τῷ Δῆμῳ tunc scripsere: *If* verd quibus non in mente venerit vetustum illud ὁ in ὡ μέγα convertere, intellectum versis perturbarunt. In hoc uno tamen erravit scholiares quod vocales istas longas sub Euclide inventas crederet. Prius enim inventæ à Simonide, sparsim deinde ab Ionibus usu celebratae, postea à Callistrato Samio in classem atque ordinem redactæ, tandem sub Euclidis magistratu in publica Atheniensium monumenta sunt admisæ. Clarè hæc & distinctè, quamvis sub diversis titulis à Suidâ tradita accepimus: In Σιμωνίδῃς nempe, περὶ τοῦ περὶ τὸν δέχτων αὐτούς τῷ διπλᾷ. i.e. adiunxit Simonides literas longas duplicesque; in Αθηνισμῷ, — Αθηνοῖς γερφον Δημοσθεῖν αὐτοὶ δὲ παλαιοῖς. Τινῶ*

δὲ τῷ περὶ τὸν δέχτων αὐτούς διέρθησαν. i.e. Demosthenes Literas Atticas quasi Antiquas dicit: illam enim ad viginti quatuor literas spestantem Grammaticam ab Ionibus serius inventam: In Σαμίων ḥ Δῆμῳ, — περὶ Σαμίων διέρθη περὶ τὰς νῦν γερφοναὶ τὸν δέχτων αὐτούς τοι τοῦ Αθηναῖος Εὐκλείδης. i.e. apud primos omnium Samios viginti quatuor literæ à Callistrato sunt inventæ, ut Andron in tripode testatur. Atheniensibus verd, sub Archonte Euclide, autor fuit Archinus Athenæ filius ut Ionum Literis uterentur. Nomen hinc exortum τῷ μητρὶ Εὐκλείδῃ Γερφομακῆς, i.e. post Euclidem Grammaticæ: unâque emicuit nota temporis in inscriptionibus certissima; quâ usus olim Plutarchus monumentum quoddam vulgo Aristidis creditum, tale non esse demonstravit. Χόνη πολὺ νεότερον (inquit ille in Aristidis vitâ) i.e. longo tempore juniores: ὡς τοι γέργη γερφον τῷ μητρὶ Εὐκλείδῃ περὶ τοῦ περὶ τὸν δέχτων αὐτούς. i.e. ut probant literæ quæ Grammaticæ sunt post Euclidem usurpari cœptæ. Ab hâc tamen regulâ excipiendæ ΘΕ & ΑΤΗ, aut ΑΘΕ, in Thebanorum & Atheniensium nummis percussæ literæ, diu post Euclidis tempora, ob amorem & honorem vetustatis, à nobilissimis civitatibus retentæ. Quibus adde verba bene ominata ΑΓΑΘΕΙ ΤΤΧΕΙ, & ΤΕΙ ΒΟΤΛΕΙ, cum similibus. Vide Atheniensium in Delo Psephisma in Montfauconi Diario Italico. p. 43.

inquam,

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inquam, & nominata ; quia usu saltem ante Euclidem, & privatâ passim scriptione, vocalium longarum formiam invaluisse constat. Euclide enim antiquior ⁽¹⁷⁾ Euripides η literæ figuram in Ὀντέως nomine descripsit ; & Plato post illius magistratum annos haud vinti natus, geminæ istius mutationis in alphabeto factæ, idque in Cratylo sub personâ Socratis, illo jam tempore ut antiquæ meminit ⁽¹⁸⁾. Non η antiquit̄s, sed ε (inquit ille) utebamur. Et paulò antè, antiquissimorum alii non ἡμέραν ut nunc dixerē, sed ἡμέραν, alii vero ἡμέραν. Iterumque ἔργος antiquit̄s vocabatur ἔργος : ο enim loco ω in usu fuit ; at, ob ο in ω mutatum, ἔργος nunc vocatur. Fortunatum igitur lapidem, qui scripturam illam, plusquam bis mille abhinc annis Platonī pro antiquâ habitam, salvam adhuc, genuinam, & autographam, nostro servavit seculo ; forsitan & futuris servat !

IV.

His demum accedit & aliud antiquitatis non ignobile indicium, quod genitivi casus, in & nunc recte terminati, hic tamen per o nudum perpetuo efferantur. Hoc nos iterum remittit ad convivium ⁽¹⁹⁾ Athenæi; in quo Achæus adducitur Poëta, poculum quoddam antiquum Διονύσου inscriptum referens. De eo autem sic conclusum à sophistis; abesse illinc elementum v, quia o nudum, loco & diphthongi, omnibus olim antiquis in usu fuit. Eadem etiam ratione ter abest idem elementum ab inscriptione

(17) Notum illud Euripidis est Commentum, quo, à Pastore Literarum imperito, ΘΗΣΕVS nomen signis sic innuitur. Vid Euripedem in Fragm. & Athenæumi lib. 10. cap. 20.

Τὸ δῶτέρον ἡ περιττὰ μὲν γεγμαῖς δύο·
Ταῦτα διέργει δὲ εὐ μίσθιος ἄλλη μία.

i.e. Iambicis Grotianis, H vocalis, sic depicta.

*Loco secundo lineæ apparent due,
Quas limite una media dispescit suo.*

(11) Graeca Platonis in Cratylō sic se habent, & ἡ ἐχείρεια, οὐδὲ εἰ τὰ παλαιάν· cuius exemplum antea attulit, οἱ μὲν δόκαιοι τοις ιπιέγρα τὸ ιπιέγρα ἔκάλεσαν, οἱ δὲ ιπιέγρα.

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(²⁰) ΘΕΟ ΑΠΑΤΟΠΟ. quæ Cadmcis plane literis depicta, subiecta est Θεῶν Ἀπατήσις, i. e. Deæ Veneris Apaturæ imagini, inter reliquias urbis Phanagoriæ, non procul à Maeotide Palude. Sed & rem ipsam, & rationem rei, & alia multa huc spectantia (²¹), Quintilianus appositi notavit. *Orthographia* (inquit ille) consuetudini servit, ideoque sâpe mutata est. Nam illa vetustissima transeo tempora, quibus & pauciores literæ, nec similes his nostris earum formæ fuerunt, & vis quoque diversa: sicut apud Græcos o Literæ; quæ interim longa & brevis ut apud nos; interim pro syllabâ, quam nomine suo exprimit, posita est. Similis inter (²²) ε & ει intercessit ratio. Cùm enim quinta illa alphabeti litera nomine suo proprio non aliud quam ει exprimeret, hinc factum ut ε & ει prose invicem & promiscuè scriberentur. Scribere scilicet ut loquebantur diu fuit usitatum: ideoque cùm rectius inscribi debuisset, Σιγείς, μελεδαίνειν, εποεσεύ, pro receptâ tamen loquelâ Σιγείς, μελεδαίνευ, εποεισεύ, hic noster lapis Sigeus exhibet.

V.

POST singula hæc criteria, suis quæque ab autoribus firmata, uno omnia intuitu contemplari libet (²³) connexa ab Herode Attico. Vir illæ consulari dignitate, nec minus omnigenâ eruditione fulgens, Criticen (²⁴), teste Philostrato, omni studio cxercuit, & veteribus se totum dedit. Cùm igitur desideret in suburbano

(²⁰) Vide Anglicum Alberici de la Mostray Itinerarium, Vol. 2. pag. 49, 50, 51. unâ cum tabulâ huc pertinente notatâ xxvii. 11. cui lux accensa à Strabone lib. xi. ἐστὶ δὲ τῇ Φαναριοῖς τῷ ἀφεδίτης λέγον Πάνορμον τῷ Ἀπαλέῃ, i. e. Est verò in Phanagoriâ Veneris, Apaturæ dictæ, insigne templum. Hunc locum nunc Turcæ Tartarie incolæ Eski-sheir, i. e. urbem veterem appellant.

(²¹) Vid. Quintilianum de Instit. Orat. lib. 1. cap. 7. de Orthographiâ.

(²²) Vid. Excerpta Athenæ à Casaubono in annotationibus adducta, ubi regula illa Grammaticalis sic concepta traditur: πάλιν οἱ ἀρχαῖοι τῷ στόλῳ τῷ ὁ σωκράτεος ξώντο, προσπλησίως καὶ τῷ εἰστὸν τῷ εἰ. Quorum is est sensus genuinus, antiqui omnes εἰ & ει, quin & simili modo εἰ & ει promiscue usurpabant, Casaub. ad Athen. lib. 11. cap. 5.

(²³) Eo planè fine concepta est Inscriptio Herodiana, literis scilicet obsoletis, ex antiquitate ultimâ petitis, quamvis contrarium senserit magnus Jof. Scaliger, formaque istas inusitatâs ad M. Antonini usque tempora continuatas crediderit.

(²⁴) Ita Philostratus in Herodis Vitâ, τοῦ Ἰεροῦ Θεατήσιον τε τῷ Κνιδίῳ καὶ Μερατίῳ τῷ ἐν Τεγμένων Κωνσταντίῳ. i. e. cum viris rei criticae peritis Theagene Cnidio & Munatio Trallensi est versatus. & paulò postea, προτέρεῳ μὲν πάσι ποὺς παλαιοῖς, i. e. prisciis omnibus incubuit. Quin & has ipsas columnas respexisse videtur Hadrianus Sophista, qui, referente eodem Philostrato, Herodis Attici memoriae laudans & exultans acclamavit πάλιν ἐν Φωνίνος γράμματα. i. e. En iterum εἰ Phanice literæ!

suo,

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suo, & novas, quas sacraverat columnas, curiosius inscriptas vellet; spretâ ævi sui, hoc est Antoniniani, scriptione, epigraphen puram putam *Archaicam* confinxit, singulis syllabis atque literis ad exemplar antiquitatis factam. Hanc publico literarum bono servare horti Farnesiani; à Salmasio olim singulari quodam tractatu explicatam, & à Grutero immortali corpori, paginâ vicesimâ septimâ, insertam. Erit igitur nec inutile, nec injucundum, si postulante sic operis ratione, è penu huc illam Gruterianâ depromamus. Sic veteris scripturæ genium facillimo hoc compendio indagabimus; & unus instar omnium Herodes Ἀρχαῖς nos Γερμαῖα docebit.

ODENT ΘΕΜΙΤΟΝ ΜΕΤΑΚΙΝΕΣΑΙ ΕΚ ΤΟ ΤΡΙΟΠΙΟ ΉΟ ΕΣΤΙΝ
ΕΠΙ ΤΟ ΤΡΙΤΟ ΕΝ ΤΕΙ ΗΟΔΟΙ ΤΕΙ ΑΓΓΙΑΙ ΕΝ ΤΟΙ ΗΕ
ΗΟΔΟ ΑΓΡΟΙ ΟΝΑΡ ΛΟΙΟΝ ΤΟΙ ΚΙΝΕΣΑΝΤΙ ΜΑΡΤΥΣ ΔΑΥΜΟΥ
ΕΝΗΟΔΕΑ. *Sic habet prima columnæ facies: in alterâ
verò sic scriptum legitur: ΚΑΙ ΗΟΙ ΚΙΟΝΕΣ ΔΕΜΕΤΡΟΣ
ΚΑΙ ΚΟΡΕΣ ΑΝΑΘΕΜΑ ΚΑΙ ΤΟΝΙΟΥ ΘΕΟΝ.*

Hoc est, scriptura recentiore, ὅτεν θεμιτὸν μετακινήσαι εὐ τῷ τριπτίσ ὁ
ἔσιν ἐπὶ τῷ τρίτῳ, ἐν τῇ ὁδῷ τῇ Ἀππίᾳ ἐν τῷ Ἡρώδῃ ἀγρῷ. ἢ γὰρ λαϊον τῷ
κινήσαντι. Μάρτυς Δαύμων Ἐνοδία καὶ δικίονες Δη-
μητρος καὶ Κόρης Ἀνάθημα, καὶ χθονίων θεῶν, i. e. Nemini fas dimovere ē
Triopio, quod est ad tertium, in via Appiā, in Herodis agro. Optabit
enim non dimotum qui dimoverit. Testis Dea Trivia
columnæque Cereris & Proserpinæ donarium, & inferorum Deo-
rum. Positâ jam ante oculos & nostrâ & Herodianâ Tabulâ, ac
lineamentis tam similibus in utrâque se prodentibus, magisne
tanti viri ingenium laudabimus, an fortunam nostram? Veram
utique Herodes picturam antiquitatis dedit: Nos ipsam damus
antiquitatem.

VI.

TRIA interim ad has columnas obiter notanda subeunt. Ho-
rum primum; D, L, & R Literas in Græcarum classe compa-
ruisse;

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ruisse: unde & Herodis calculo sententia Plinii confirmatur⁽²¹⁾, qui ex Delphicâ priùs tabulâ indicaverat, veteres Græcas literas easdem fuisse pene ac Latinas. Neque dissentit ab his Tacitus, quo autore *forma literis Latinis, quæ veterrimis Græcorum*.

Secundum est Triopium, Cnidii illud & Templi & Promontorii nomen, ad villam in Viâ Appiâ transpositum; id, quod autorem indicat, quo potissimum, in hâc tam criticâ Inscriptione adornandâ, usus est Herodes. Theageni enim Cnidio in criticis eum operam dedit, Philostratus memoriae prodidit.

Tertium notatu necessarium est χ litera Palamedea, in voce χθονίων, rectangulam crucem præferens, adeoque ad summæ antiquitatis normam à Theagene & Herode piæta. Marmor enim Baudelotianum, quadringentesimi & quinquagesimi ante Christum anni, eandem, ut in recentiori alphabeto, obliquè decussatam exhibet. At nostrum altius assurgens planè in voce πασχω primæ vam retinet figuram, & inventori Palamedi, & restitutori Herodi consonam. Hoc igitur si citius comparuisset, non ita ad Herodianos lapides impegissent Critici. Nunc verò, ipse ille in his studiis nobilissimus Coryphaeus, Dominus B. de Montfaucon χαρακτηριῶν pro χθονίων incautè legens, hæc à scopo aberrantia commentatur. Quod singularius est (Palæograph. Gr. lib. 2. cap. 4.) χαρακτηριῶν compositum cruce designatur hac ratione, +θονίων pro καλαχθονίων inferorum; ubi etiam vides literam χ omitti. Sed purè illuc legitur χθονίων Θεῶν, i. e. inferorum Deorum; ut χθόνιος Ζεὺς pro "Ἄδης apud Hesychium: χθονία item Θεᾶς pro Cerere & Proserpinâ apud Aristophanem: & ipsa illa χ falsò omitti credita, sic olim +, ad instar crucis, inter veteres Ionicas signabatur.

(21) Plinii Nat. Hist. lib. 7. cap. 57, 58. *Gentium consensus tacitus primus omnium consenseruit, ut Ionum literis uterentur. Veteres Græcas fuisse easdem pendunt quæ nunc sunt Latinæ, indicio erit Delphica tabula antiqua crux, quæ est hodie in palatio, dono Principum Minervæ dicata, in Bibliothecâ cum inscriptione tali, NAVSIKRATE EST TISAMENO ATHENAIOS KORAI KAI ATHENAI ANETHEKE.* Tali planè formâ redonanda est antiqua Delphica inscriptio: parilemque in æncâ illâ

columnâ Romæ in Aventino positâ imaginari licet, de quâ sic in Antiq. Rom. lib. 4. cap. 26. Dionysius Halicarn. αὐτὴ διέμενεν ἡ σῆμα μίκη τὸ εἰπεῖν ὑλικῆς ἐν τῷ τὸ ἀρέματος ιερῷ καμβύῃ, γερμανάτων ἔχεσσα χαρακτηριῶν Ἑλλωνῶν οἵ τοι παλαιοὶ ή Ἐπαύλες ἐχέπτον. i. e. mansit hæc columnâ, ad meam usque adolescentiam, Diana in Templo posita, eos Græcarum literarum characteres habens, quibus antiquitus Graecia utebatur. Addendum his Tacitus in Annal. lib. 11. cap. 14.

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VII.

SED loco nunc ultimo notabitur, quod primo forsitan lectorem in admirationem rapit, rarum istud Βαζεοφηδὸν scribendi schema, ab inflectione versuum, boum arationem imitantium, sic Græcè dictum. Ejus unicum hoc exemplum inter omnes ubique reliquias antiquitatis extat; nec nisi unum olim innotuit Pausanix, dignorum visu monumentorum diligentissimo exploratori. Id ⁽¹⁶⁾ ille in arcâ Cypselicâ vocatâ reperit, Olympiæ tum sacratâ in Junonis templo: Quæ tamen aliquando Periandri Cypselidæ fuerat, unius è septem sapientibus; ejusdem qui, belli arbiter electus, Sigeum Atheniensibus adjudicavit. Sed & alterum rei exemplum & ipse quoque alter sapientum Solon Atheniensis præbuit. Nam eo Solon tempore, Periandri æqualis & amicus, leges suas βαζεοφηδὸν inscripsit: Leges æquitate summâ & prudentiâ admirandas; sed nec minus scripturæ schemate hinc illinc longè famigeratas. Hoc igitur tum Athenis occurrente, cum Sigeum in potestatem Atheniensium Periandro judice devenerat, & cognatis jam virorum tam illustrium monumentis passim per ora hominum volitantibus, quid mirum si Sigeorum aliquis & victori populo, & Soloni legislatori, & arbitro litis Periandro, eodem scribendi schemate placere studuit? Maximè, si in memoriam revocemus, orientalem illam ad lævum à dextris scriptionem Sigeo Æolicæ civitati familiarem certè, si non propriam, eo tempore fuisse. Quamvis enim Iones, receptis ex Phœniciâ literis, statim eas dextrorsum versas deformaverint; at Æolas hoc seriùs admisisse, tum Etrusca, quæ adduximus, monumenta, tum nummi passim Æolici, ⁽¹⁷⁾ . . . AT, . . . ΛΥΑ, . . . ΟΡΚ, aliisque multi inversè scripti fidem faciunt

ocu-

⁽¹⁶⁾ Pausanias lib. 5. cap. 17. cedrinæ istius arcæ fusâ narratione meminit, quâ mater ejus Cypselum celavit, Corinthiorum postea Tyrannum & Periandri Patrem, ad necem à Bacchiadis quæsitus. Eâ in arcâ multis antiquis literis incisæ inscriptiones fuerant. Καὶ τὰ μὲν (inquit auctor) ἐς ΔΙὸν αὐτῶν ἔχει. χρυσαῖς δὲ ἀλλα τῷ γεγμάτω βαζεοφηδὸν καλέσιν "Ελλωνες" πέδεισι ποιήσει. Ἀπὸ δὲ πέρισσος δὲ ἔπικες ἐπιστρέψει τὸ επών τὸ διδύτερον, ὅπως ἐν διαιάλογοις. i. e. Atque earum quidem literarum aliae in rectum jacent; aliae eo se ordine ostentant quem βα-

ζεοφηδὸν appellant Græci: is verò est bujusmodi. Unius à fine versū is qui sequitur inflexus est, ut in cursu fit diaulico. Quam rem metricè, nec infeliciter, expressam video, apud Matthiam Belium, in libello de Literaturâ Hunnoscythicâ.

Non attollebant dextram; sed metà prioris
Principium versū posterioris erat.

(17) Vid. apud Goltzium in Tab. magnæ Græciae 37. ΦΑΛΕΙΟΝ numnum cum Æolico digamma: Tab. 29 & 30. ΚΑΤ-
E ΑΟΝΙΑΤΑΝ:

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oculatam. Tandem autem, testante Plinio, gentium consensus tacitus conspiravit, ut Ionum literis utearentur. Rarus proinde hic scribendi sinistrorsum, at rarissimus is βετεροφηδὸν exarandi modus. Uterque verò Cadmeis sic literis ornatus interiorem aperit antiquitatem. Hinc igitur Inscriptioni nostrae sua ætas afferenda. Poteſt esse paulo antiquior Solone; potest esse, quod magis ſentio, Soloni æqualis & Periandro: at Euclide certè Archonte recentior esse non potest. Judicent igitur eruditii, & quam velint ætatem monumento tribuant: ſit modò poſt Sigeum à Mitylenæis conditum, ſed & ante illic admissas Simonideas literas.

VIII.

His tam inusitatis literis, & obtinenti antiquitùs ſcriptioni, cognata ſunt illa vocium interpunkta, quæ non in noſtro ſolū, ſed & ⁽²¹⁾ in multis per Etruriam monumentis, in utroque Attico Bau-delotiano, & in Teio ſequente Sherardiano, numero interdum tria, interdum duo appinguntur. Eo ſcilicet commento ſtudiosè cavere Veteres, ne vox una in alteram incurrens lectionem aut turbaret aut corrumperet. Idemque moſ, cum ipſo unā alphabeto, ab Æolicis deductus ad Latinos, ſaltem puncti unius uſu, ad ſera uſque tempora pervenit. Verū, apud ipſos autores Græcos, res priſci & non inutilis instituti ſtatim abiit in defuetudinem, negli-gentibus eam Grammaticis ſequioris xvi. Notatu interim non indignum, & articulos, & præpositiones, & coniunctiones, nullo unquam punto diſjunctas à nominibus, ſed, ex genio linguae Phœniciae & Hebrææ, pro præfixis habitas fuſſe. Una etiam integra periocha, ΕΑΝ ΔΕ ΤΙΠΑΣΧΩ, ſolitâ vocium interpunktione non diſtinguitur. Sed caſu an conſilio id factum fuerit; an puncta

ΛΟΝΙΑΤΑΝ: tab. 31. ΚΡΟΤΟΝΙΑΤΑΝ: quin & eorundem numiſma apud Spanhemium. Difſert. 2. literis Phœnicis exornatum. His adde nomen ἀΓΑΜΕΜΝΟΝΟΣ apud Pausaniam lib. 5. cap. 25. γεγμυθὸν δὴ τὰ λαιῶν δέξιῶν. i. e. ad laevum ē dexterā parte scriptum. Neque omittenda hoc in loco vetus Etrusca ſcriptio ab Æolicā deducta, eaque ratione more retrogrado exarata: quam tamen ob antiquum digamma, literasque alias puras putas Æolicas, præ cæteris unicè demiror in aſſe

librali ΟΔΙΦΕΛΑ inſcripto, quem ex muſeo Pembrochiano prætantissimus protulit Spanhemius, & integriorem paulo ex muſeo Huberti Benevolentii eruditus Au- tor Justus Fontaninius. Hunc verò conſule fuſiū de his agentem in antiquitatibus Hortæ Coloniæ Etruscorum lib. 1. cap. 7.

⁽²¹⁾ Vid. Gruterum pag. CXLII, & fe- pulchra Petri Sanctii Bartollii, Fig. 91, 92, &c.

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primitū impaecta injuriā temporis exciderint, non est unde certò colligatur.

IX

A τ curiosius nunc venit expendendus Æolicus iste, in voce μελέδα ρειν, inter vocales α & ι, hiatus. Interpunctum in eo nuper depinxeramus, secundūm optimum, quo usi fuimus, Doctoris *Lisle* apographum. Sed contrarium monente Domino B. Mould, ex suis & aliorum schedis, idem nunc duximus omittendum. Ipse interim hiatus, Æolum omnino proprius; qui vocalium aut conjunctionem aut collisionem omni studio vitabant. Eo fine hiatum aliquando vacuum relinquebant: aliquando eum digamma isto suo interposito adimplebant. Prioris exemplum dat Euſtathius, doctus ille Homeri enarrator, Iliad pag. 22. l. 1. οἱ Ἀιολεῖς πολλάκις ἐν τοῖς διφθόγγοις . . . ἀρχεῖται μόνη διαστάσει, ut Ἀλειδῆς, Ἀργείς. i. e. Æoles plerumque in diphongis solo hiatu sunt contenti, ut Areides, Argens. Posterioris exemplum à Prisciano est: Hiatūs quoque canfā solebant illi interponere digamma: quod ostendunt etiam Poëtæ Æolicē usi, Alcman, καὶ χεῖν πῦρ τε δαπιον. Et Epigrammata quae ego (inquit lib. 1.) legi in Xerolopho Byzantii sic scripta: Δημοφονον, Δαφονον. Par exemplum vocis αρυτο (αὐτὲ nunc rectè scriptæ) in lapide illo quadrato, qui Colossum olim Apollineum in Delo insulâ sustentaverat. Par exemplum inquam, si sua Inscriptioni lectio sana & incorrupta steterit. Accuratissimè eam exscripsit notâ Vir eruditione Tournefortius, mihi hoc in loco non sine honore nominandus, ob ⁽¹⁹⁾ communicatas quām humanissimè Inscriptiones, cùm in peregrinatione Orientali iter per Smyrnam faceret. Sed pace nunc dixerim Reverendi Domini Montfauconii, à quo hanc demum Deliacam & editam & explicatam ⁽²⁰⁾ video, pars longè potior

(19) Vid. Tournefortium in Itinerario orientali Epistolâ 22. hoc ipsum memorantem. Ipse vero, in Epistolâ ejusdem Itinerarii septimâ, Deliacam Inscriptionem publici jam juris fecerat, non sioe hâc insulsâ laude, ob erroneam explicacionem, omnime non sausto datâ. Deux des plus grands hommes de ce siècle, sans être avertis d'où j'avois tiré cette Inscription, sans se voir, sans conferrer ensemble, l'ont expliquée sur le champ, & se sont si bien rencontréz, que je ne puis assez admirer leur

sagacité. Le P. Hardouin croit que les quatre premières lettres désignent quelques noms propres: & le P. Dom. Bernard ne doute pas que l'inscription ne soit en caractères anciens & Ioniens qui répondent aux suivans; Το λιθο εσιν αρδεζας και το αρτελας* huic lapidi inest statua & scabellum suivant le P. Hardouin: in lapide sum (vel est) statua & basis suivant le P. Dom. Bernard.

(20) Palæographiæ Græcæ lib. 2. cap. 1. pag. 121. Hanc Deliacam inscriptionem . . . à V. Clar. de Tournefort accepimus, qui re-

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potior Inscriptionis, unā cum vero sensūs acumine, ipsum aliud advertentem fugiebat. Cùm enim sic habeat monumentum,

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id tamen vulgari scribendi more sic ille mutatum & mutilatum extulit. . ἐν τῷ λίθῳ εἰμὶ ἀνδριὰς καὶ τὸ σφέλας i. e. *in lapide sum statua, & basis*: sensu planè aut nullo aut inepto. At servato Æolico digamma inter vocales *a* & *v*, in voce *ἄλο*, & *ο*, ex more Veterum, pro cognomine sibi syllabâ admisso; sic rectius longè & integrius legendum veniet, & ἀντεῖ λίθῳ εἰμὶ ἀνδριὰς καὶ τὸ σφέλας i. e. *non sum ejusdem lapidis & statua & (statuæ) basis*. Verum hoc fuisse disjuncti jamdudum lapides & dejecti docent. At nihil à vero alienius, quām quod temerè nimis visum Montfauconio, *post duas priores literas Ο Α, satīs conspicuē legi EN*. Quod enim E fuisse credidit infimâ lineâ mutilum, id clarè insipientibus verum est & perfectum Æolicum digamma *F*: & quod eidem N esse videbatur mancum aut vitiatum, id ipsum est priscum *γ*, Sigeo nostro in voce *Σιγενεοῖ* non absimile, cornu uno recto, altero proclivi figuratum: de quo sic præclarè Vossius, lib. 1. de Arte Grammaticâ, cap. 30. *Nec γ eam olim habuit figuram, quam hodie: quando nunc cornua ejus utraque recta, vel utraque æqualiter inflexa pinguntur: olim verò unum erat rectum, alterum proclive, ac tamen præceps. Verissimè interea vir ille summus pronunciavit literarum in hâc Inscriptione formam priscam esse & singularem, &, quoad A saltem, alibi tum non visam. Jure igitur huc vocari & penitus inspici volebat. Nam præter Æolicum digamma *F*, quod vindicandum & restituendum fuerat; ipsum illud ignotum A, quin & E, Θ, N, Σ, γ, inusitatum omnia ductum ostentantia, Sigeo nunc demum in la-* pide comparuerunt.

gio jussu ac peculio Orientales regiones peragravit, multaque eruditè observata retulit. Is in Delo Insulâ ad basim statuæ humi dejecta, ipsam literarum formam imitatus, hæc exscripsit, ab initio, ut videtur, manca: in reliquis quidpiam inest viti. Post duas priores literas Ο Α, sat conspicuē ita legitur

πο Ε. Forma literarum præcā & Ionica, admodumque singularis. A sic scriptum nusquam aliis vidi. In primâ syllabâ EN, E, quæ litera ter occurrit, infimâ lineâ mutila est. N sequens videtur mancum aut vitiatum, &c.

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X.

SED & alteram quoque animadversionem, huic priori non dissimilem, scriptio illa singularis in voce Σιγεευσι suggestit. Cùm enim ει in ε ob nomen literæ transferit, ideoque rectè satis juxta superius observata Σιγεευσι pro Σιγεευσι inscribendum fuerit; in dubium tamen non immeritò vocatur, quo jure inter ε & ει inexpectatum se γ intruserit. Sed ex sententiâ magni Scaligeri, inter animadversa ad Eusebii Chronicon, hic facile reponendum, γ literam eandem ibi vim & usum cum F Æolico habere. Nam (ut inquit ille) *indifferenter Ἀέολες αὐως & αϝως dicebant pro ηνς aurora. Sic apud Priscianum καὶ χεῖμα πῦρ τε δάκιον, quod aliter δάκιον pro δῆιον hostile.* Hinc ⁽¹¹⁾ Græci Τέλιαν pro τέλιαν, & Romani pro utraque Veliam dixerunt, quod F, & T, & V eadem vi polleant. Et pari certè ratione *Sigevum* & *Sigevos*, ut *Ἄργειος Argivus*, efferendum esset, si Σιγειον & Σιγεεις, more Æolico concepta, reddi Latinè oporteret. Interim non est meum refragari, si diversâ aliquis sententiâ contenderit, v illud in voce Σιγεευσι (errore ex loquelâ orto) pro i literâ subditum fuisse. Subditum sic certè suit in primâ syllabâ vocis Συκεευσι, quam Inscriptio additicia pro Σιγεευσi corruptè præsert.

XI.

Hæc igitur primariæ Inscriptionis propria.—At illa tandem additicia aliud videtur non fuisse, quam primariæ tentata innovatio; idque ad ostendandas Simonideas literas; aut tum fortè cùm inventæ, aut tum potius cùm legitimè acceptæ fuerant. Legitima ea-

⁽¹¹⁾ Quanta sit inter digamma F & ου syllabam, nec non γ Græcam literam, & V Latinam cognatio, in nullo magis conspicitur quam in diversâ urbis Velia Scriptione; ab origine scilicet Τέλια scribatur, Dionysio Halicarnass. lib. 1. cap. 20. luculentem id testante: *λω τὰ πολλὰ ἐλάθη ἀνθε
γγέληχασσον τὸ Διγλάνις τέπον Οὐέλια ἐνομάζει*. συνηθεῖς δὲ λω της αἴγχαιος "Ελλησιν, οις τὰ πολλὰ, προσθίνει τὸ ὄνομάτων, ὅπόσων αἱ δέχαι εἶναι φωνηταν ἑβδόμῳ, ηγετασθεῖσι, ιτι συγχέιν γεγφαθεῖσι. τότο δὲ λω μάτερ γάρμα διηλατεῖ μιαν ὁγθιὰ θητεῖσινύμφους ταῖς πλαγίαις, οις Φελίνη καὶ Φάραζ καὶ Φοκός καὶ Φανής, καὶ πολλὰ ποιῶσαι. i. e. multa eo in loco paucitia fuere, quæ nunc ex vetusto Dialecti

modo Velia nominantur. Græcis enim priscis usitatum fuit ου syllabam charactere uno pictam vocabulis anteponere quæ à vocali inciderent. Hic autem erat ut duplex Gamma, constans duabus lineis ad unam rectam obliquè applicitus. Postea verò non ουέλια solū, sed & Τέλια ex Γελια factum est, ut constat ex Τελήτω πυμησ quos Goltzius aliique protulere. Latinè verò oppidum *Heilia*, inquit Plinius, quæ nunc Velia, lib. 3. cap. 5. H enim aspirata Ionica F Æolicæ æquipollebat. Nota quoque Λεοντίδης, Δανιδης, &c. sic Græci ex Hebræo versa, ut prodant τ Græci ad Hebræum *vau*, adeoque ad digamma F, relationem.

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rum acceptio non nisi sub Archonte Euclide fuit, quadringentis ante Christum annis: Archinoo, Athenæ filio, Atheniensibus id suadente, ne à cæteris ubique Ionibus in monumentis publicis abirent. At plusquam uno priùs seculo inventæ & ostensæ fuerant sub Hipparcho Pisistratide, Tyranno Athenensi; & sub⁽¹¹⁾ Hegesistrato Hipparchi fratre, Sigei tunc temporis dominante. Nec sub his inventas tantum, sed ab iisdem in pretio & honore habitas, ex Platone facilè colligimus. Eo enim autore, Hipparchus⁽¹¹⁾ Tyrannus, Poëseos Homericæ restitutor, & doctis undeque viris impensè fautor, Simonidem ad se acciverat Athenas, atque illic inter charos habuit, donis multis magnisque cumulatum. Sic igitur se habentibus Simonideis literis, aut prima illa inventio aut senior earum legitima acceptio, redintegrandæ Inscriptioni nostræ occasionem præbere poterat. Tum enim, in Athenensis ditiosis urbe, non erat incongruum tentari novæ scriptionis specimen: seu fortè sic voluerint Phanodicæ familiae posteri, seu Sigeis potius magistratibus sic visum fuerit, ex more & consuetudine magistræ urbis. Quicquid sit, primævam illam aspiratam hinc eliminatam cernimus; Vocalem utramque longam ex mente Simonidis depictam; Æolicam Mitylenæorum dialectum in magis Atticam conversam; Συκεευσι pro Σιγειευσι erroneè & corruptè positum; posteriorem Inscriptionis partem à novatore penitus recisam; literas enormi spatio alteram ab alterâ divulsas; & alia non pauca

(11) Hegesistratum Pisistrati Athenensis filium, Hipparchi fratrem, Sigei Tyrannidem exercuisse autor est Herodotus; quamvis Anachronismo (ut Usserius monuit) deceptus, Sigeum non nisi sub Pisistrato redactum statuit; quod Soloni potius Archonti tribuendum. Ἰππίας δὲ αὐτοχθόνες εἰς Σιγεῖον, πάλαι Πειρίσσανθον αἰχμῇ τοῦ Μήλουλησσιν. Κρεφίτης δὲ αὐτὸς καλέσησε τύραννον εἴτε πάντα τὸ ιαντόν Ηγεστέγλων. i. e. Hippias verò ad Sigeum iterum concessit, quod Pisistratus à Mitylenæis vi ceperat. Ejus verò potius Tyrannum illuc constituit notum ipsum filium Hegesistratum. Herod. lib. 5. cap. XCIV.

(11) Hipparchus, ex omnibus Pisistrati filius & ætate & sapientiâ primus, ἀλλα τε πολλὰ τελεα τοφίας απεδέξατο (inquit So-

crates apud Platonem in Hipparcho) ἡ τὰ Ομῆρες περὶ τῷ ἐκόμισεν εἰς τὸ γλῶς ταῦτα. καὶ οὐάγκαστος σὺν φιλοδόξῳ Παναθηναϊοῖς εἰς Διολήψεως ιφεκῆς αὐτὰ διένει, ὥστε τὸν τοῦ οἴδε ποιεῖσθαι. καὶ εἰπεν Ἀνακρίσια τὸ Τήνον πεντηκόντηρον, σείλας ἐλέφασεν εἰς τὸ πόλιν. Σιμωνίδης δὲ τὸ Κέαν πολὺ αὐτὸν αὖτε ἔχει μεγάλοις μιθοῖς καὶ δώροις πενθανε. i. e. Multa ille Sapientiæ præclaræ exempla edidit; & Homeri etiam carmina primus in hanc urbem intulit, & recitatores compulit alternis illa vicibus in Panathenæorum festa percurrere; quod & iidem nunc quoque faciunt. Quinetiam Anacreonta Tēium, μίσθιον ad eum quinquaginta remorum navi, accivit buc in urbem. Simonidem verò Cœum circa se semper habuit, magnis ejus præmiis & munieribus, inducens.

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aut omissa aut immutata, quæ, conflatis inter se invicem Inscriptiōibus, additiciæ præ primariâ novitatem certo certius loquuntur.

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SED hic nos locus admonet sistendi iterum ante oculos prisci alphabeti Græci: ut perpensis ejus singulis elementis, certius de his omnibus judicium & sincerius haberi possit. *Vid. pag. 3.*

A igitur inæqualitate laterum notandum venit, lineam habens obliquam, à medio longiore latere ad pedem brevioris ductam. Par prope & veteribus Latinis forma, ut ex lamellâ illâ cuprâ Tiburtinâ inter Inscriptiones Fabretti constat. *pagg. 27, 28.*

B illud antiquum, cum duabus ejus ansis acutiùs quàm nunc formatis, in nostro qnidem lapide ob vocum penuriam non occurrit.

Γ, ad instar *Lambda* recentioris, acutum in apice angulum efficit: neque defunt nummi Siculi in quibus, ad instar C Latini, rotundatum pingitur. Ubique interim C Latinum, nec minus *Kappa* Græcum potestate retulit: unde, errore ex loquelâ orto, Συγεισοι in additiciâ Inscriptione pro Σιγεισοι legitur.

Δ ab initio triangulum, non tamen ut nunc isosceles, sed claudum seu scalenum fuit: rotundatis igitur duabus lineis brevioribus, conversum est in D Latinum.

E litera, ut apud Latinos, nunc brevis nunc longa audiebatur. Unica ei forma, eadem quæ & ⁽⁴¹⁾ tridenti obliquato fuit: & quoniam ει syllabam suo nomine expressit, cum eadem non ratò permutabatur.

F digamma Æolicum & nomine & figurâ *Gamma* geminum expressit, potestatem verò accepit à *Gamma* longè alienam. Planè enim, ut *Vau* Hebræum, nunc V Latinam (eamque aut consonantem aut vocalem) sonat; nunc vero ut idem *Vau* quiescit, & hiatum inter duas vocales sine sono implet. Nota ejus primaria F, secundaria T: æquo etenim jure & hæc & illa nota, in initio & in medio vocom, ab Æolibus signari suetæ. *Vid. not. 31. & pag. seq.*

Z, litera Simonidea ⁽⁴²⁾ falsò à multis credita, tametsi non comparet in Sigeo lapide, prisco tamen Græco alphabeto adscribi postu-

⁽⁴¹⁾ Sic scilicet apud Athenæum lib. 10. cap. 20. E literam in ΘΗΣΕΤΣ nomine Agathon Tragicus descripsit, Ἔτελα τριόδος πλάγιον λέπι προκείμενον. i. e. Deinde Tridentis erat oblique jacens. Similisque eodem

in loco tum Euripidis tum Theodectis descriptio adhibetur.

⁽⁴²⁾ Latè se sparsus vulgaris error, ab ipso etiam Montfauconio in Paleographia sue propylæo adoptatus, de inventione literæ

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postulat. Apertè id testatur Aristoteles, ipso citante Plinio, lib. vii. cap. 56. Nec obstat in eodem capite corruptissima Pliniana lectio, ex multis secum invicem pugnantibus elicita ab Hermolao Barbaro, quâ Z Simonidi Melico, & Palamedi Σ, asseritur. Hoc enim non ex alio quam inscritâ librariorum Latinorum profectum, qui Σ loco Z, & Z contra loco Σ, nullâ neque arte neque judicio supposuere. Sonum edidit hæc litera nobis hodie incognitum; medium inter Zain Phœnicium, à quo ortum duxit, & G Latinum, cui ortum, sed serò, dedit. Vetus ejus figura Σ, paulatim in Z deflexa est.

H in Sigeo lapide, eandem quam apud Phœnices & figuram & potestatem servans, quatuor illis vocabulis, *Hermocrates*, *Hethmon*, *Haisopos*, *Hadelphei*, literam initialem præstat. Fuit hæc propria Ionum, qui illam in medio, aquæ ac initio vocum, non aliter atque Æoles digamma suum, adhibuere. Exemplo sint prioris ΗΟΔΟΣ, ΕΝΗΟΔΙΑ, ΤΑΗΩΣ: posterioris FOINOΣ, OFΙΣ, ΔAFION, seu ΔΑΤΙΟΝ. Primitùs quoque aut H, aut F, omnem 'Pā initialem comitata est; ita ut F eam anteiret, at H eandem semper sequeretur. Id testatur asper ille uncinulus hodie supra 'Pā initialem pictus; per quem aliquando subintelligitur F, ut φίγος, frigus, φάγω frango, φάγος (i. e. ἐλεύθερος) *Francus*; sèpius H, ut ρόμβος rhombus &c.

Θ Palamedea dicta, & prisca certè, quamvis diu post Cadmeas inducta litera, non ut nunc punctum aut lineolam, sed crucem in

literæ Z; quæ cùm verius Palamedis fuerit, à quamplurimis tamen Simonidi tribuitur. Errori occasionem dedit depravata à Librariis Latinis tum in Hygino, tum in Plinio seniore, figura literarum. His verò, in Græcorum characterum ductu, quam parum fidendum fuerit, indicio erit editio Pliniana, quæ prima omnium, Venetiis, operâ Joannis Spiræ, in folio per amplio prodidit A. D. MCCCCLXVIII. ubi, pro inscriptione Græcâ Ναυπικέτης Τισαράθε' Αἴλιον Κόρη ή, Αἴλιον αἰλιθνεν, monstroua ista Latinis concepta literis inferciuntur; xaxilipeui canece comai coekpturae trata una cieziea, l. 7. c. 58. Servat exemplar hoc Spiranum, Harduino, ut videtur, inauditum, Magnus Britannæ nostræ Æsculapius, Ricardus Mead M. D. inter alia non pauca instruclissimæ Bibliothecæ ornamenta. No-

tabile est Z literam in Suidæ Lexico inter Palamedes primam numerari. Veritati interim nihil obstat quod cætera in eodem loco mendoza admodum scribantur. Vedit hoc Salmasij nobile ingenium, & Salmasio consentiens Spanhemius in eruditissimâ dissertatione secundâ, §. 3. Litera Σ non inter quatuor literas, prout hodie apud Plinium legitur, à Palamede repertas; sed à Simonide verius, quod ei quoque tribuit Suidas, repnenda est: ac verè proinde apud Plinium Z pro Σ, ubi de inventis à Palamede literis agitur, ab illustri Salmasio emendatum: quod de re autem nihil à postremo, crudito quamquam, Plinii editore monitum videas. Erroris securior Plutarchus, Παλαμήδης, inquit, πρότερος τεττάρα, ωρὶ Σιμωνίδης αὐθίς ἀλλα παντα προσέθηκε. Symposiacion IX Quæst. 3.

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circulo, eamque interdum rectangulam, interdum decussatam gessit.

I & K literæ eandem ab initio formam sine ullâ, ut videtur, notabili mutatione servant.

A olim acuto ad calcem angulo, & formâ hodiernæ penè contrariâ, pingebatur. Quippe aliud non sicut quām veterima L Latina, qualis ea in antiquissimis ejus linguae monumentis, Senatusconsulto nempe de⁽¹⁶⁾ Bacchanalibus, & lamellâ cuprâ Fabretti conspicienda extat.

M & N literæ primam earum lineam longiusculam habuere, cæterasque à se invicem latoiore angulo diductas.

O litera (adinstar E, nunc breve nunc longum, ut apud Latinos, sonans) quoniam ov syllabam suo nomine expressit, pro cädem semper & proferebatur & scribebatur.

P nondum utroque latere æquali, at secundo breviore comparebat; apte sic B dimidiatum, ut potestate, ita & figurâ, referens.

P aliquando capite triangulari; aliquando, ut nunc, rotundo, & semicirculari fuit. Sed & virgula ipsius capiti subiecta, in antiquis nummis & lapidibus, Herodiano præcipue & Baudelotiano, Latinum ad modum cernitur.

Σ literæ, apud antiquos, duæ olim figuræ competebant. Harum antiquior, ⁽¹⁷⁾ cincinnum referens, in Latinum alphabetum transit: recentior, quæ Græcorum mansit propria, ⁽¹⁸⁾ arcum Scythicum expressit. Has duas in Sigeo lapide, cincinnatam dico, & arcuatam, quanquam rudes, ut in antiquo opere, non sine voluptate contemplamur.

T & nunc & olim patibulum famosè retulit. Palus tamen erectus in ⁽¹⁹⁾ Phœnicia & Etruscâ literâ supra transversum paulò eminebat.

T saepè

⁽¹⁶⁾ Senatûs consultum de Bacchanalibus, Latinarum, quas novi, antiquitatum pulcherrima longè & nobilissima, videatur in editione Ciceronis Gronovianâ, ex ære autographo repræsentatum, Tabula post præfationem tertia.

⁽¹⁷⁾ ⁽¹⁸⁾ Apud Athenæum, in loco superius memorato, ubi triplex ΘΗΣΕΤΣ nominis pictura, Autoribus Euripide, Agathone, Theodecte, exhibetur, Σ arcuatis meminit Agathon, Σκυθικῷ τε πέδῳ τελτονὶ λῷ προστυμφεῖς. i. e. arcui Scythico simile Elementum tertium: cinninati verò sic Euripides, Τεάτον ἢ θύσενχός τις ὡς εἰλιγμός.

i. e. Tertium capilli cinnus tanquam involutus: quin & iisdem fere verbis Theodectes, Τεάτον δὲ εἰλιγμός θύσενχῷ προστυμφεῖς. i. e. Tertium capillo in cinnum retorto simile.

⁽¹⁹⁾ Quod T Phœnicium & Samaritanum crucis habuerit similitudinem, que in Christianorum frontibus pingitur, adeoque palo erecto consurrexerit supra transversum paulò eminentem, autoribus Origene & Hieronymo, in Palæographiâ adstruit Montfaconius: congruentibus etiam Alphabetis Samaritanis & R. Azariae, & Toinardi, lib. 2. cap. 1. t verò Etruscum similiter pictum clarè exhibet Fabrettus in numino

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Τ s̄epe ad modum V Latini; s̄epe cornu uno recto, & proclivi altero surgebat. Posterius monuit Vossius ex Catalectis quidem Virgilianis. Fidemque rei autographi duo lapides, Delius & Siegus, adstruxere. Uterque enim literam hanc bicornem levi discrepantiā exhibet⁽⁴⁰⁾: hic nempe à dextro latere, ille à sinistro proclivorem. Nec abludit à Sigeā formā singularis ille Regis Amyntæ nummus à Montfauconio in lucem datus. Similiorem tamen, eamque, more nostro Ælico, sinistrorsum versam,⁽⁴¹⁾ Rauci Cretenses percussere.

SUPERSUNT denique Φ & Χ Palamedi adscriptæ literæ. Φ diversis temporibus diversas figuræ induit, quarum quæ primæva fuerat ab hodiernâ parùm discrepavit. Χ certè ab initio quatuor⁽⁴²⁾ rectis angulis coibat, testante id & nostro, & Herodiano lapide. Sed diu jam exolevit rectangula ejus forma, & in decussatam mutata abiit.

XIII.

PERSPECTO nunc prisci alphabeti genio, palām est quām facile hinc abesse poterant nova illa Simonidis inventa. Palām etiam & Palamedeas, quæ vocantur, literas, primæ Cadmearum classi novas &⁽⁴³⁾ adventitias accessisse. Simonidearum nempe η & ω propriè non sunt literæ, sed signa quantitatis longæ. ξ itidem & ψ non aliud fuisse constat quām⁽⁴⁴⁾ colligationes consonantium, pari ratione ac diphongi sunt vocalium. Par ratio & duplicitis elementi Z,

quod

VTEPE inversè scripto pag. 528. Fontaninius in TVTEDE pag. 139. quin & Gruterus pag. CXLV. & Bartolius in Etruscis, quæ edidit, sepulchris.

⁽⁴⁰⁾ Ultramque τ literæ figuram posteris Phœnicibus usitatam vide apud Begerum in Thes. Brand. Vol. III pag. 72, 73.

⁽⁴¹⁾ Vid. Thesaurum Britannicum Haymianum Vol. 2. in ΤΑΥΚΙΩΝ nummo prisci literis Æolicis signato.

⁽⁴²⁾ Vide ita descriptam X literam ab Hippocrate de capitis vulneribus. p. m. 895.

⁽⁴³⁾ De adventiciis literis mirè confusa habet Cedrenus, pag. editionis Xylan-drinæ 103.

⁽⁴⁴⁾ Omnes ubique nōrunt sub duplicibus istis & novitiis ξ & ψ latere ς & ϖ adeò ut quæ priùs scripta fuerant ἀναξ & πελπς, post Simonidem ἀναξ & πελψ jam scribi

cōperint. At sub ξ etiam γ & χ, item sub ψ etiam β & φ, pari lege comprehendi, omnibus non æquè notum. Hanc tamen sententiam, oborto de his sermone, & observatâ nominum quorundam in Baudelotiano marmore scriptione, egregiè mihi confirmavit doctissimus R. Ainsworth, amicus meus & vicinus, ob singularem eruditionem & humanitatem, inter paucos aestimandus. Quinetiam rationem rei allatis his exemplis luculenter illustravit. Ea est, inquiebat, in nominibus, quantum ad rectos & obliquos casus, nec non in verbis, quantum ad præfens & futurum tempus, analogia, ut alterum facile alterius primævam Orthographiam prodat. Ex Gr. rectos nominum casus σάρξ φλόξ, σίξ, antiquitus fuisse σάρκ, φλόξ, σίχ, à genitivis σάρκος, φλόγος, σίχος, extra

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quod consonas Σ & Δ, & vicissim Δ & Σ, connectit; quodque si non ipse Palamedes, at aliquis post Cadmum autor, alphabeto intulit. His adde, quod certiores illæ Palamedeæ, ⁽⁴⁵⁾ Θ, Φ, Χ, à Cadmeis Τ, Π, Κ, non nisi aspiratae adjectione differunt: id quod resoluta earundem scriptio in vocibus ΑΤΗΝΑΙΟΝ, ΠΗΙΔΟΣ, ΚΗΡΟΝΟΣ, apertè probat. Motis igitur his omnibus è genuino Græco alphabeto, duplicibusque Ζ & Χ, unâ cum ⁽⁴⁶⁾ novitio Γ, juxta invictas ⁽⁴⁷⁾ Vossii rationes, è Latino pariter abjectis, manet in utrâque linguâ idem planè ordo atque numerus, eademque serè & figura & potestas literarum. Per celebris proinde Plinii observationem, *Veteres Græcas literas fuisse easdem penè que Latinæ*, ex sequenti nostrâ tabellâ, æquè ac illâ Delphicâ, firmabitur. Constat ea literis octodecim; ita tamen ut carum ultima non tam sit nova litera, quam sextæ illius F, cum vocalis officio fungitur, repetitio. Hac ratione secundum quosdam septendecim fuerunt; & secundum alios, aspiratam in literarum numero non habentes, sexdecim tantum literæ. Tot olim figuras Græca gens Ionica à Phœnicibus accepit; inversoque omnium situ, in meliores paulò transmutavit. Servavit enim, ut videtur, rationem pure Mathematicam, quoad recti-linearum, circularium, & angularium literarum formas. Æoles vero, vaga gens, & solum mutare sueta, ad easdem

extra omnem controversiam ponitur. Præterea όψ, φλεψ, καθίλιψ, antiquitus fuisse όπς, φλεψ, καθίλιψ, singuli ipsorum genitivi όπος, φλεψ, καθίλιψ indubitate monstrant. Pari modo & in verbis, futura πλέξω, φδέξω, τρέξω, ante Simonidem fuisse πλέκω, φδέγω, τρέχω, arguunt præsentia eorum tempora πλέκω, φδέγω, τρέχω. Futura itidem tempora ἐψώ, τείψω, γεζψώ, ante novam hanc Grammaticam alia non fuisse quam ἐπτώ, τείσω, γεζφω, ex præsentibus ἐπτώ, τείσω, γεζφω, aperte constat. Contrarium quidem, quantum ad ς & φ, docuit Theodorus Beza in Alphabeto Græco & Hebraico A. D. MDC. edito: Ibi enim (pag. 59.) aspiratas ς & φ sub literis ξ & η contineri fidenter pernegat. Hunc verò optimè refellit ipsa autographa antiqua scriptio in Sponianis occurrentes monumentis, οφσιαδες enim exhibent quod nunc οψιάδης; ΑΛΕΞ. ΣΙΜΛΧΟΣ quod nunc Αλεξιμαχος depingi-

mus. Vid. Montf. Pal. Gr. p. 139, 140. & Sponii Miscell. p. 316. Elementum z longo ante tempore ab autore diverso prodiit. Ei verò haec propriè potestas competit, aliquando ΣΔ, aliquando ΔΣ vice versa colligare: id quod, omisis aliis, ex Εolicâ scriptione τεχτεδα pro τεχτεζα, δουγὸς pro ζυγὸς, necnon Σδδε & Δδδε pro Ζδδε, clarè satis evincitur. Rechènem Theocriti Scholiastes ad Idyl. 1. vers. 3. διλύνει δὲ Δωρῖς τὸ Ζ εἰς τὰ ιξ ἀντὶ συγκριπεντος σοιχεῖα.

⁽⁴⁵⁾ Plutarchi Symposiacon lib. ix. Quæst. 3. τὸ γδ Φι καὶ τὸ Χι, τὸ μιν ἵσται Ηλί, τὸ δὲ Καππαδοκαστρίου.

⁽⁴⁶⁾ Plutarchus de Quæst. Rom. p. m. 277. τὸ κ' αὐτὸς τὸ γ' συγχίνει τὴν παρ' αὐτοῖς. ὅψα γὰρ ἐχεῖσαντα τῷ Γάμμῳ, Καρβούλης Σπορεῖος προστέθερόν τος. Columna igitur Duilliana, A. U. C. 494. G non habet. Habet verò senatus consultum de Bacchanalibus, U. C. 566.

⁽⁴⁷⁾ Voss. de Arte Gram. l. 1. c. 15, 18, 21.

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quaquaversum disseminandas non infeliciter contulerunt. Tandem enim, optatissimo eventu, per diversas Græcarum gentium ad diversa Italiae migrationes, Ionicae quidem in Latinas, & Æolicæ in Etruscas literæ, vix ullam passæ mutationem transfierunt. Genuinam harum omnium cognationem oculo hîc placuit subjicere: Sic quidem, ut omissis secundariis, & superfluis quinque literis, primariarum præcipue instituatur comparatio, quales è Phœnicia in Græciam, è Græciâ in Italiam, utrumque ante Trojana tempora, sunt deductæ. Quò verò res plenius innotescat;

Primò ponendæ sunt Phœniciae, hoc est, Hebraicæ antiquæ propriâ suâ formâ Hierosolymitanâ, ad fidem numismatum, expressæ. Isque, ad ostendendum earum nomen, ordinem, ac potestatem præfigendæ sunt Hebraicæ hodieræ, ab Esdrâ, post captivitatem Babyloniam, formis novis Assyriacis donatae.

Secundò Græcæ, Phœniciarum filiæ, diverso hinc illinc statu, Ionicæ ad dextram, Æolico ad sinistram, sunt sistendæ.

Tertiò Latinæ sequentur & Etruscæ. Quarum Latinæ facie planè Ionicâ dextrorsum, Etruscæ verò, Phœniciis similiores & Æolicis, sinistrorsum sunt ducendæ.

XIV.

Hoc modo facile patebit, idque in brevi ex adverso tabulâ, avita illa Literarum, primariarum ad primarias, secundariarum ad secundarias, quoad ordinem, figuram, atque numerum relatio: Res mira utilis, & jucunda observatu; nunc primum post Scaligerum, Bernardum, & Montfauconium, rectius ut videtur, indagata. Mirandum enim tot, & tales, & tantos viros, nullâ habitâ literarum quoad extatæ & potestatæ ratione, secundarias cum primariis, recentiores cum antiquis, in eâdem serie permiscuisse. Primarias voco literas, quæ propriam quandam habent & distinctam in suâ serie potestatæ: Secundarias, quæ quam habent potestatæ, eam non nisi ab alio in eâdem serie elemento mutuatam accepere. Hâc lege è primariis Græcis exulabunt superius notatae Ζ, Θ, Ζ, ut jam olim exularunt Τ, Τ, i. e. Episema *San-pi* & *Koppa*. Nec minore jure à primariis Hebraicis secernentur ι, υ, δ, ς, ρ, ob alias in eâdem serie puriores, & simpliciores, pro secundariis meritò habendæ. Etenim dentalcs ι, δ, ς, non nisi primariam dentalem & diversimode sibilantem referunt. Duxque illæ υ, ρ, a duabus aliis η, ς, quoad sonum saltem, & potestatem, licet non

NATURÆ ATQUE ORBIS ALPHABETUM,

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Primatarum Literarum Tabula, cui adjuncta est et altera Secundiarum.

Primaria, sphaerica in Hieronimis, figurata in uero formâ & Phoenicis. Integram. (a)

א	בּ	גּ	דּ	הּ	וּ	זּ	חּ	טּ	יּ	עּ	נּ	לּ	מּ	פּ	שּ	תּ	רּ	ׁ
+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+

Ex Phoeniciis, ordinem ordine a prophetis locis. A B C D E F G H I K L M N O P Q R S T V

Nudem Cithara Circe, uero, utriusque scripta. A B C D E F G H I K L M N O P Q R S T V

Etrusca ad laetam, per se.

A	B	C	D	E	F	H	I	K	L	M	O	P	R	S	T	V
A	8	7	1	0	3	4	*	B	*	I	K	U	M	N	O	P

Quinque, secundaria in Hieronimis, figurata in uero formâ & Samaritaniâ Biblicâ.

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*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

Ex isti, ordinem ordine in poli, hinc,

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*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

quinq[ue], secundaria Circe, latine dico.

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Hieroglyphis seruit sine grandiori pueris, ut Cithara manifestat præceptum Citharorum sermonem per se, ut etiam per se, ut instrumentum Iudiciorum libatores.

Deum nominans, ΑΓΓΑΡ, cum Eclavis digamma, Latine Minerva, ΑΙΩΝΙΟΣ Hercules, ΗΥΠΑΡΙΧΟΣ Caltor. (b)



Litteræ Hebreæ-Phœniciae in scilicet

ante Capt. Balyl. i. Maleni interd. P. 31.

Litteræ Hebreæ-Akkadiæ in scilicet

post redditum, i. Maleni interd. P. 32.

Litteræ Etruscae e pendularibus clausis,

inter Fabrili Inscrip. P. 32.

(a) *Hieroglyphis Balylana expugnata detulit, cum instrumentum Iudiciorum libatores per*

Ephoram confitit regnum suum. Terrull de cultu form. 1. c. 5. (b) v. Etrusca Regula. Tadde. 5. 2.



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non quoad scribendi usum, superfluxæ redduntur. Has tamen omnes æquali jure repræsentarunt, in suis literarum paradigmatis, Scaliger, Bernardus, & Montfauconius. At quinque illis secun-

(40) Hujusc Tabulæ hæc est ratio; ut scilicet seriatim repræsententur puræ solummodo & primariæ orbis eruditæ literæ, detrusis inserviis secundariis, Cadmoque non notis, aut neglectis.

Primò, Antiquæ istæ, in jugatâ Hebraicarum serie, omnes, exceptâ P, ex paucis, quæ habentur, scilicet eruuntur: Hierosolymitanæ proinde rectius vocandæ, quamquam occasione Phœnicum in Græciam eas inferentium, Græcis Phœnicie sunt vocatæ. Earum quæ nonum nunc implet locum, vero Kapb nomine appellanda; non obstante quod Waltono ipsi, aliquisque Kapb olim audiverit. Idque scilicet iste Assyriacus, paris alterius Hebraicæ veteris certissimus interpres, docet.

Secundò, In Græcis præcipuè spectanda est omnimodo illa, quam præ se ferunt, hinc ad Phœnicias, illinc ad Latinas similitudo. Hæc verò se plenius aperiet, ex diversis aliquot formis quæ (pag. 3.) in prisco Græco Alphabeto, literis, A, R, Δ, Λ, P, Σ, Τ, supra infraque sunt appiætæ. A scilicet in Deliacâ Tournefortii inscriptione; Τ in nummis Siculis epigraphen ΣΕΛΑΣ & ΑΚΡΑΣ apud Paratam gerentibus; Δ & Λ in columnis Farnesianis; P sepe in nummis & Baudelotiano lapide; Σ in inscriptione Sigeâ additiciâ; Τ in singularibus quibusdam, Raucorum, Tyriorum, & Regis Amyntæ nummis.

Tertiò, Latinæ sequuntur & Etruscæ in eâdem Tabulâ conjunctæ: Latinæ quidem, quales eas ante Simonidem, immò & ipsum ante Palamedem, (ut testis est Hyginus Bibliothecæ Palatinæ sub Augusto Cæsare præfectus) Evandrus profugus ex Arcadiâ in Italiam transtulit, easque mater ejus Carmenta in Latinas commutavit num. XV*. In hâc verò serie, tres istæ, A, L, P. quæ præ cæteris fortè ignotiores videbuntur, suis quæque in monumentis comparebunt. A nempe & L in Lamellâ cu-preâ inter Fabretti inscriptiones pagg. 27

& 28. L & P in Scipionis Barbatî Inscriptione post alios à Fabretto editâ pag. 461. quin & P non infrequenter in Gentis Publicæ, Pomponiæ, & Posthumiæ, apud Vaillantium, nummis.

Etruscæ Latinis longè essent censendæ recentiores, si fides autoribus, qui eas à Demarato Corinthio, Lucii Tarquinii Regis Romani Patre, in Etruriam advectas tradidere. Sed quoniam, præter aspiratas duas, numero sunt tantum sexdecim; Hebraicis primariis & numero, & ordine, & potestate omnino pares, firmissimo id erit argumento, Etruscas quoque literas, non aliter ac Latinas, ante Palamedis tempora in Italiam demigrasse. Harum ego numerum & figuram ex nummis passim & inscriptionibus apud Gruterum, Bartolium, Fabrettum, Fontaniniū, summâ quâ potui fide & diligentia concinnavi. Sic quidem, ut secunda in hâc serie literula nunc primùm suo loco restituatur; idque ope vocis Bœvæ Etruscæ apud Fabrettum scriptæ. Vide ejus *Inscriptiones*, pag. 696.

Memorabili demum Taciti testimonio quanquam vario quidem illo, & incerto, claudi hæc Nota postulat. *Egyptii* (inquit ille Ann. XI. cap. 14.) literarum semet inventores peribent; inde Phœnicas, quia mari præpollebant, intulisse Græcie; glorianque adeptos tanquam repererint quæ accepérant. Quippe fama est Cadnum, classæ Phœnicum veatum, rudibus adhuc Græcorum populis artis ejus auctorem fuisse. Quidam Cecropem Albenensem, vel Linum Tbebanum, & temporibus Trojanis Palamedem Argivum memorant, sexdecim literarum formas; mox alios, ac præcipuum Simonidem cæteras reperiisse. At in Italâ Etrusci ab Corinthio Demarato, Aborigines Arcadi ab Evandro didicerunt. Et forma literis Latinis, quæ veterissimis Græcorum. Sed nobis quoque pauci primùm fuere: deinde additæ sunt.

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dariis ex uttâque serie retrætis, emicabit statim purum putum *Naturæ*, atque *Orbis Alphabetum*; ope nummorum & inscriptiorum è penitissimâ antiquitate erutum; octodecim potestatibus instructum; nullâ simplici deficiens, neque ullâ compositâ redundans; voci atque eloquio humano articulatè adaptatum; facile illud rerum, idemque immortale testimonium; Facta, Dicta, Co-
gitata præsentibus sono exprimens; absentibus picturâ servans; felix vivorum cum mortuis, mundi hujus cum altero commercium; divinum plane opus & inventum; sapientissimoque illo animi, oris, atque oculorum nostrorum formatore, Deo omnipotente, non indignum.

AT heus tu, inquiet Aristarchus, quâ tu andaciâ non Simonidi tantùm, sed & Esdræ, & Palamedi obstrepis? Tu, qui, Samaritanis ipsis irreligiosior, Alphabeti numerum imminuis? De Græcis itaque respondeo; alias Simonidem sub Hipparcho Athenarum ty-
ranno, alias Palamedem, Trojani belli tempore, Cadimearum classi inseruisse. Proinde Latina, non minus quâm Græca antiqua classis, ante Trojana tempora concinnata, locos eosdem iis vacuos ostendit. Quinque Hebraicas quod attinet, & (quia res eòdem recidit) Phœnicias; hæ quidem in Alphabeto suos tunc locos habuere, cum ob illata puncta vocalia, & inductas formas Assyriacas, a Masoretis de novo describerentur Psalmi illi Alpha-
betici, xxxiv & cxix. At vero an Davidis, an Cadmi, an Mosis tempore habuerint, nihil est quod ausim affirmare. Immò ani-
num in difficultate tantâ, ⁽⁴⁹⁾ multa divinantem reproto, & pericu-
losæ me subtraho conjecturæ. Si verò tum habuerint; nemo inficias ibit, quin Phœnicem exsulem, optimo usum consilio, pri-
marias secrevisse à secundariis, & de posterioribus hisce altùm si-

(49) *Animum (inquam) multa divinantem.* Qualia sunt; fuisse Hebræis, ab omni retrò tempore ante transmigrationem Ba-
bylonis, duas & viginti literas: in eo nu-
mero α. β. γ. δ. ε. γ. cum & consonæ fuerint &
vocales, pro decem habitas fuisse: verùm
post redditum à Babylone illata fuisse punc-
ta, & ablatum ab iis quinque literis voca-
lium officium: excidisse igitur prisco He-
bræorum alphabeto quinque literarum nu-
merum: proinde, ut sacer ille & antiquior

earum numerus in integrum iterum resti-
tueretur, inductas fuisse quinque secunda-
rias ι. υ. ο. υ. ρ. Quo vero melius fancire-
tur novum hocce, & magnum (ut appellatum fuit) Alphabetum, Ma-
soretas illud Psalmis Alphabeticis, ob id ipsum pau-
lulum mutatis, intertexuisse: quod & Si-
monidem postea imitatum, suis viginti
quatuor literis totidem Homeri Rhaps-
dias signavisse.

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luisse, cum priores illas, tanti pretii thesaurum, in Græciam secum deportaret.

LATEAT igitur hæc in puto profundi demersa veritas. Et tamen libet aliquid doceri a Siclis duobus Waltonianis, quorum unum Hebræo-Phœnicium, alterum-Hebræo-Assyriacum, à doctissimis ad S. Biblia prolegomenis, huc adduximus. Hi inter se invicem collati veram *Kaph* Phœniciam (quanquam Waltono non illud advertente) detegunt; eodemque intuitu, vicariam ejus *Koph* manifestæ novitatis arguunt. Quid enim? quum ḡ in duabus vocibus, קַפְתַּח & שִׁירַת, Grammaticè nunc locum vendicet; utræque tamen istæ in nummo Hebræo-Assyriaco per scriptæ exhibentur. Erat quidem egregius tantæ novitatis usus; præsertim ad diversas ejusdem vocis significationes promptissimè signandas: unde omnis à voce קַפְתַּח ablata est ambiguitas, quæ prius, non nisi per *Kaph* depieta, & monetae pondus significabat, & intellectum. Quòd si largior nunc suppetret antiquæ scriptio copia, idem & in multis aliis, quoad reliquas secundarias literas, credibile est potuisse demonstrari. Nil interim mirandum, quòd Masoretæ Hebraici tam faciliè, datis novis legibus, Linguam ipsorum jam demortuam refinixerint; cum vivas & vigentes duas, Tuscanam dieo & Gallicanam, noverimus mutationem tantam, ex Academiarum nuper jussu, accepisse.

XV.

SED revocat nunc calamum properantem, & nescio quâ animum dulcedine persundit, veneranda illa origo, & successio literarum. Sexaginta scilicet ⁽⁵⁰⁾ ante tempora Trojana annis, Latinæ à Pelasgis & Areadibus, utrisque gente Æolibus, domo patriaque prosugis, ad Umbros, & Aborigines, aliosque tum Italiæ populos, sunt deductæ. Græcas, centum & quinquaginta annis ante Pelasgorum exitum, aut Cadmus, aut Cadmei certè Phœnices Græciae tum indigenis Æolibus & Ionibus tradidere. Cadmeis eo tem-

(50) Credibile est secundum Plinium (lib. 7. cap. 56.) *Primos in Latium literas Pelasgos attulisse;* artem vero earundem perfecisse Arcadas; quorum migratio, paulò post, Pelasgiā, celeberrimā notā temporis à Dionysio Halicarnassensi insignitur: nempe ἐξηκοσῳ μάλισα ἦτε περόπερος τὸ Τρωνῶν, i. e. sexagesimo ferè ante bellum Trojanum anno, duce Evandro, filio Mercurii, & Nymphæ cuiusdam Arcadicæ, quam Thenin Græci, Carmentam Romani appellavere. Antiq. Rom. lib. 1. cap. 31. Quibus vero autoribus eadem in Græciam literæ è Phœnice transiverint, clare traditum ab Herodoto l. 5. c. 58. & à Diod. Sic. l. 3. Hinc Literæ Ionibus Φοινίκια vocatae, & ιππονίζει legere significans; de quo postea in Triorum Diris,

pore

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pore Phœnicibus eadem fuere literæ, quæ & Samaritis postea Ifraeliticis fuerunt: Samaritis ⁽¹⁾ eadem quæ & Judæis ipsorum fratribus, ad asportationem usque Babyloniam: Judæis nondum asportatis eadem quæ & Pentateucho Moysis: Pentateucho, ut fas est credere, eadem quæ lapideis Legis tabulis, Dei ipsius digito inscriptis.—Pulchra ex his conclusio, & præclara admodum, lucevit;

⁽¹⁾ Agitata jamdudum fuit nobilis ac erudita Quæstio; an Samaritanæ literæ, & quod cōdem recidit, Phœniciae, Græcæ, & Latinæ, eadem reipsa fuerint cum veteribus Hebraicis. Negant longè pauciores; præeuntibus Buxtorfio & Lightfootio; at contrarium innumerū tuerunt magni nominis Heroes; interque eos, post antefixanum Jos. Scaligerum, Casaubonus, Grotius, Vossius, Bochartus, Morinus, Breerwoodus, Waltonus, Huetius, Prideauxius; &c, qui peculiari rem tractatu expedivit, Lud. Cappellus. Novam ansam Quæstioni præbuere obseruati sæpe à Viris doctis numni Hierosolymitani, Sicli nempe & Hemisicli, Hierusalem sancta Samaritanis literis inscripti: quos quidem copiâ satis magnâ, unâ cum Alphabeto Samaritano, in Appendice ad Breerwoodi pondera, Waltonus dedit. Hinc enim Samaritanas literas in usu fuisse Hierosolymis ante captivitatem Babyloniam, hodiernas verò Judaicas, formâ quadratâ & Assyriacâ, non nisi post redditum invaluisse, creditur. At veteres Rabbini, & Thalmudistæ, doctissimique Christianorum Patrum, Origines & Hieronymus, ne quidem advocatâ nummorum fide, characterum Hebraicorum mutationem pro certâ & indubitatâ habuere.

Descenderat olim in hanc arenam, & Cappelli se Diatribe opposuerat juvenis tunc admodum Spanhemius: [Vide Waltoni introductionem p. 9.] unde factum, ut in eundem ille sententiam, quanquam summâ quâ solebat modestiâ, animique valde dubius, in eruditissimâ etiam senectute, propenderet. At consultus ab eo fortè Rev. Petr. Allixius subitanam prorsus, & extempore, ad Spanhemium dat Epistolam, quâ dubitantem animose impellit ad con-

vellendam Scaligeri de Samaritanis Literis sententiam; idque nullis nixus argumentis, nisi quæ jam olim profligaverat Waltonis: ita ut Waltonum in tertio Proleg. & Sectione vicissim nond ad tricesimam etiam perlegisse, satis superque fuerit ad castigandam Allixii temeritatem. Labefactatum quidem fuit à Spanhemio Eusebii testimonium; utpote in melioribus ejus codicibus non repertum. Stabit tanen Hieronymo immota fides, qui hæc habet, in Prologo Galeato, certam rei cognitionem, & veritatem præ se ferentia. Samaritani etiam Pentateuchum Moysi totidem literis scriptitant, figuris tantum & apicibus discrepantes. Certumque est Esdras scribam, legisque doctorem, post captam Hierosolymam, & instaurationem templi sub Zorababel, alias literas repertissæ, quibus nunc utimur; cum ad illud usque tempus iidem Samaritanorum & Hebraeorum characteres fuerint & nomen Domini tetragrammaton in quibusdam Græcis voluminibus usque hodiè antiquis expressum literis invenimus. Hæc igitur, & alibi quoque plura, his consentanea, Hieronymus, Eusebii interim silentium validiore longè testimonio compensavit Montfauconius, qui, è MSS. quibusdam Hexaplis, Originem his ipsis verbis Hieronymo congruentem protulit. Tetragrammaton (inquit ille) εν της αιγαλειας της Αιγαίου Ελευσινος Αρχαῖοι γράμματα γέγοπι. αὐτοὶ ἐχι της νῦν. Φασὶ γὰρ της Εσδραν ιτέροις χρήσασθαι της αιχμαλωσίαν. i. e. in exemplaribus quæ accuratiova fuerint ineffabile Dei nomen scriptum est antiquis literis Hebraicis, non verò hodiernis. Autem enim Esdras aliis usum fuisse post captivitatem. Vid. Palæogr. Græc. lib. 2. cap. 1. Constat his invicem Testimoniorum certum est per antiquas literas tum Hieronymum

cescit; ab iisdem sacris fontibus literaturam fluxisse & religionem. Neque mirum quòd, ⁽¹²⁾ ignoratis olim literis, Graicæ nunc origines ignorentur; cùm electus à Deo populus, primi illi literarum & custodes & magistri, mundi ipsius initia, perpetuamque exinde historiam, mansuris vocum figuris consignaverint.

XVI.

A MATRE igitur Hebræâ venere literæ, ad agnatas, etiam & non agnatas linguas, per universum ferè orbem, derivatae. Mos interim scribendi hinc & illinc ⁽¹³⁾ diversus fuit; ad lāvum alter, Asiaticis & Ægyptiis; alter ad dextrum, Europæis usitatus. Noster ex utroque mixtus, quo primùm tempore, quâve ex causâ aut autore prodiiit, nullâ certâ traditione noscitur. Waltonus, certè (*in supplemento ad Prolegomena*) de sicolorum agens formis & inscriptionibus, nummum unum atque alterum observavit, ita literis Hebraicis in-

tum Origenem intellexisse Samaritanas. Certum etiam, tertio jam quartoque seculo Christiano, Sacrosanctum Dei nomen, his ipsis literis descriptum, in accuratis quibusdam Græcis voluminibus extitisse. Non potest igitur non in nihilum abire inanis ista Rabbinorum recentiorum Hypothesis, quâ duplicum apud Judæos characterem, sacram nempe & profanum, atque illum quidem Assyriacum, hunc verò Samaritanum confinxere. Profanum enim characterem quis sanus dixerit, quo Dei nomen ineffabile depictum est à Judæis Hellenistis; & qui in Græca etiam exemplaria eo fine est receptus, ut antiquam illam formam, Tetragrammati, primigeniam, & Mosaicam testaretur? Vide Bernardi notas ad Josephum pag. 188. Characterem Biblico Samaritico hodie etiam utuntur Gentis ejus reliquie; eoque Caii olim ad Scaligerum, Sichemi nuper ad Huntingdonum, ad Marshallum, & Ludolfum epistolas dedere.

(12) Eupolemus, citante Clem. Alexand. Strom lib. 1. πὸν Μωϋσῆν Φοῖτι γραμματικὴν περῶν τοὺς Ἰεδάίους παραδένει, καὶ παρὰ Ἰεδάίαν Φοινίκας παραπλαστῆν, Ἐλλύνας δὲ πᾶσα Φοινίκων. i. e. Moſem, dicit, Grammaticam primum Judæis tradidisse; & à Judæis Phœnicas accepisse, Græcos verò à Phœnicibus. Unde Josephus

contra Appionem lib. 1. §. 2. Οὐδὲ δὴ καὶ μόλις ἵγνωσαν φύσιν γραμμάτων i. e. Sero ac vix novèrē Græci naturam literarum. Certissimè. Quippe non vox iis ulla fuerat quæ scribere; non ulla quæ legere significaret. Nam, ut superius annotavimus, rem novam, statim atque appulit è Phœnico, per Φοινίκιον, rei usum per ινφονίξαι, designabant. Postea ab iis γράφειν & αναγνῶσαι ad scribendi & legendi sensum sunt translata. Quoruī γράφειν propriè & primitū erat Sculpere, i. e. verbo ad nos Anglos derivato, to grave: αναγνῶσαι autem recognoscere, à γνῶ, anglie know. Ρεγματα verò, quâ demum literæ significari coepitæ, vox est recentior Homero. Eustath ad Iliad. p. 490.

(13) Γράμματα γράψεις καὶ λογίσουσι φήσοις, Ἐλληνες πιὸν ἀπὸ τῶν σχισερῶν θῆται δέξια φίροντες τὴν χεῖρα, Αιγύπτιοι δὲ ἀπὸ τῶν δεξιῶν. Herodot. 11. 36. Literas scribunt, & calculis computant Græci, dextrorum à sinistrâ manum ferentes; Ægyptii verò à dextrâ ad sinistram. Nec pigebit his superaddere veterem Indorum morem, qui, referente Diod. Sic. lib. 2. γρέφοντες τὰς σίχες, εἰς τὸ πλάγιον ἐδένοντες ως ἡμεῖς, ἀλλὰ ἀναθετόντες κάτω καταγρέφοντες εἰς ὅρθιον. i. e. scribunt versiculos, non oblique illos pro more nostro extendentes, sed à supernâ parte deorsum rectâ describentes.

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scriptos, ut in anticâ quidem parte à dextrâ ad sinistram, at in posticâ à sinistrâ ad dextram progrederentur. Atque hinc ansa aliqua Nauclero aliisq[ue] fortassis data; secundūm quos Hebræi βεργοφηδὸν progressi usque ad tempora Esdræ: *Eum primum instituisse, ut à dextrâ sinistrorum scriberetur.* Sic scilicet eorum sententiam retulit, qui tamen eidem non cessit, Vossius. Nec immeritò. Nam quo tum, cedò, instituente, & Phœnices posteri, & Samaritarum reliquix sic scripsere, quibus nihil commune cum Esdrâ, præter odium, intercessit? Rectius longè & verisimilius opinari licet, allatis ex Asiâ in Europam literis, Iones ab inconcinno illo sinistrorum scribendi genere omnino abhorruisse; quod tamen indigenæ in Græciâ Æoles, iidemque in Latio alienigenæ, patienter aliquamdiu pertulère. Hinc orta videtur nostra, ex Ionicâ Æolicâque mixta, ideoque & molcta scriptio. Quid enim inter scribendum est molestius, quām manum continuis vicibus βεργοφηδὸν circumagi, ⁽⁵⁴⁾ diversoque eidem literæ aspectus, nunc hunc, nunc illum, dari? Fuere nihilominus qui alternatam hancce flexionem, utcunque molestam & inconcinnam, rarò quidem, idque novitatis causâ, aut affectationis, non ex usu communi, adhibuerint. Hoc igitur, & alia multa involutè scribendi schemata, mysticam quandam religionem præ se ferentia, Periandri arcā circuibant. Solon etiam, qui obscurum aliquid & astrus in suis legibus, Plutarcho teste, adamavit, non aliâ videntur ratione scriptionem adeò intricatam, difficilemque lectu, prætulisse. Nihilominus ab his exemplis manare mos insolitus, & singularia pauca monumenta occupare potuit; Sigei præcipue, ubi mirum in modum increbrescebat Pcriandri & Solonis fama; mixtimque habitabant civcs, Attici simul & Æolici, hi quidem sinistrorum, illi verò dextrorum exarare sueti.

XVII.

Sic se demum habeat critica ista commentatio ad elementa monumenti spectans. Supereft nunc ipsa dictio, & materia Inscriptio-

⁽⁵⁴⁾ Diversos (inquam) eidem literæ affectus; Quales sunt D & G, E & H, difficilis non minus, quām deformis in scribendo nævus. Is igitur studiosè videtur evitatus à posteris literarum Σ, Η, Θ, Ζ, φ, χ, ψ, ο, repertoribus. Planè enim has om-

nes literas de industriâ sic formârunt, ut (quod paucis admodum acciderat in Cadmeâ classe) statum suum servent immutatum, seu scriptio fortè ad dextram, sive ad sinistram ferat.

tionis,

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tionis, pro quatuor ejus periodis, in quatuor ultimis hujus opusculi sectionibus illustranda: Si tamen totam prius Inscriptionem, ut intra metri spacia coercitam, paulisper secum expendet æquus & curiosus Lector. Veterima certè quæ occurunt apud Herodotum, Thucydidem, & Pausaniam saxis incisa epigrammata, omnia serè metro concipiuntur. Unde & nomen *Epigrammati*, breviculo Poematii generi, remansit. Nostrum, fatemur, numeris lege solutis fertur: Non est tamen cur non & Antispasticis Dimentris accenseatur, quæ pedibus dissyllabis composita, & nonnunquam semipedem, nonnunquam tribrachum admittentia, impura Glyconia Anacreontica vocari possint.

Φανοδίκη | εἰμι | τ' ἔρμο-
κράτες | τε Προκονησία.
Καὶ γω κράτηρ | καπίσατο
καὶ ἥθυμος εσ | πενταγειού
δῶνα | μνημα | Σιγειένσι.
Εαν | δε τι | πασχω | μελε-
δαῖγευ * ε | ω Σιγειέσι.
Και μετοίσευ Ἀιώνιος
καὶ ἀδελφοι.

Sciendum interea veteres illos lapidum atque codicum exaratores, raro aut nunquam pro ratione pedum, sed pro sortuitâ tabella latitudine conclusisse versus. Hinc in quibusdam metris rite ordinandis tanta oborta est difficultas, comicis præcipue & id genus humili sermone scriptis. Hæc enim tam multiplici varietate temporum, pedum quoque & semipedem tam incerto numero laborantia, diversimodè pro tenore musico, adeoque & pro lectoris libitu, secari & feriri possunt. Sed subit nunc primæ istius Periodi, & dictio, & materia expendenda.

XVIII.

ΦΑΝΟΔΙΚΟ: ΕΙΜΙ: ΤΟ ΗΕΡΜΟ | Φανοδίκη ἐιμὶ τε Ἐρμο-
ΚΡΑΤΟΣ: ΤΟ ΠΡΟΚΟΝΕΣΙΟ: | κράτες τε Προκονησία.

Phanodici sum Filii Hermocrais Proconesii.

Hæc congruenter satis & novator Inscriptionis extulit: ΦΑΝΟΔΙΚΟ ΕΙΜΙ ΤΟΡΜΟΚΡΑΤΕΟΣ ΤΟ ΠΡΟΚΟΝΗΣΙΟ. Ἐμὶ enim pro εἰμὶ, primò ex loquelâ ortum, postea etiam in scriptiōnē satis rectam & probatam abiit. Idem & de ἔρμοκρατεος pro ἔρμοκρατος dicendum

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dicendum erit; necnon de ν litera in Προκονησιο geminata: quod ultimum & ipse obiter⁽³³⁾ Strabo ut communiter receptum notat. Nemo insuper miretur, si maneat o longa, non & syllaba, inscripta; quia is quidem usus duo aut tria deinceps secula pervalet. Unde ΤΟΣ ΝΟΜΟΣ in Cretensi apud Oxonienses Marmore: ΤΟΣ ΝΟΜΟΣ quoque & ΤΟΣ ΑΝΔΡΙΑΝΤΑΣ in Epietetæ apud Grut. Testamento. Atque hinc data Latinis terminatio hodie in casu quarto plurali immutata manet.

Phanodicum quod attinet; id nominis (ut credidicim) raro alibi observatum. Per opportunè tamen occurrit apud⁽³⁴⁾ Scholiastem Apollonii Phanodicus Historicus, Deliacorum auctor: Idemque, ut videtur, à Laertio semel atque iterum laudatus, tanquam de Tripode, Sapientis dicto, deque Thalete & Biante scriptor. Noster vero his æqualis ex patre Hermocrate, & patriâ Proconneso insulâ oriundus, ob sua in Sigeos beneficia, videtur in eorum Prytaneo statuæ honorem meritus. Constans enim & solenne per omnes ubique Græciæ civitates fuit, suo quemque ornari Prytaneo; hoc est, æde & penetrali Vesta; ubi, præter æternum ignem in sacrario foveri solitum, simulachra Deorum popularium, heroum etiam, & virorum illustrium, cum titulis sacra locabantur. Hunc in Sigeâ urbe Phanodico honorem obtigisse, argumento est insignis lapis, donaria ab eo in Prytaneum collata recitans. Quippe imagini, ut par est credere, subjectus fuit; quæ, inter alias, Hermarum more, dedicata, personam loquentis induit, & Phanodici se esse profitetur. Amabant enim hujusmodi Prosopopœias veterrima per Græciam opera; suosque sape spectatores non inven-

(33) Strab. Geogr. lib. 13. Καλεῖται Ἐκατοντάριος σωκίτης ὡς Πελοπόννησος, τῇ ιδρυτῇ Ν γεγομένῳ πλευράζειν ἐν τῷ πεύκῳ. ὡς Μυσσεός, ἡ Προκόννησος λέγεται, ἡ Αλόνησος. Hecatonnesi compositæ vocantur, ut Peloponnesus; ob literam N consuetudine quadam in talibus abundantem: quomodo & Myssenus dicitur, & Proconnesus, & Halonnesus.

(34) Vid. Apollonii Scholiastem ad lib. 1. vers. 419. τέλι τῆς Οελυγίας Φανόδικος ἐν τοῖς Δηλιακοῖς ισόρηχος. Et prius ad vers. 211. Φανόδικος ἐν δηλιακῶν. Laertius in Thaleitis vita, Historiorum enumerans sententias de invento Sapientis Tripode (quippe ΣΟΦΟΙ, i. e. ΣΟΦΕ inscripto) hæc ha-

bet de Phanodico: Φανόδικος ἐν τέλι οὐ Αθηναῖον θάλασσαν διέβιοι, καὶ αὐτερχθέλα εἰς ἄσυ, φρυγίην ικανοῖς, Βιάσι τεμφθέλου. i. e. Autor est Phanodicus inventum suisse tripodem prope mare Atheniensium, & postquam in urbem inferretur, habita conceione, Bianti suisse missum. Iterum vero in Biante, Φανόδικος ἐν κόρῃς αὐχμαλώτες λιθωσάμνον Μεσσηνias, θρέψαι τε ὡς θυμάτερες, καὶ προκαταπλέναι, η εἰς οὐ Μεσσήνην πασσέλαι τοῖς πατερέσσιν αὐτῶν. i. e. Biantem tradit Phanodicus puellas quasdam captivas Messenias redemisse, redemptasque habuisse loco familiarum, datisque dotibus, domum ad earum patres remisisse.

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nustè alloquebantur. Sic Tripos ille antiquissimus⁽¹⁶⁾ Cadmeis literis inscriptus, & Thebis Apollini sacratus;

'Αμφιτρύων μ' ἀνέθηκεν ἐών ἐκ Τηλεβοάων. Herod. lib. 5. c. 58.

Sic & statua in vetusto illo Epigrammate Homeri credito;

'Αγγελέω παριστοί, Μίδης ὅτι τῆδε τέθαπται. Id in Hom. vitâ.

Enarrabo Midam cunctis hic esse sepultum.

Sic denique apud Pausaniam, ΟEnomai in Elide columna; quæ, phrasî nostræ quâm simillimâ, i. e. καὶ ἐγώ, hæc orditum,

Καὶ γὰρ ἐγὼ κείνων εἴμ', ὃ ξένε, λείψανον σίκουν. Lib. 5. c. 20.

Hospes, Ego illarum pars sum servata domorum.

Hæc omnia ex ultimâ penitùs antiquitate, diu ante Sigeum lapidem, repetita sunt exempla. Sed ad ea usque tempora durâsse eundem usum, testis insignis Plato; qui in *Hipparcho*, de cippis ejus Mercurialibus hoc disertè memorat: ἐπιγέγραπται λέγων ὁ Ερυνῆς ὅτι ἐν μέσῳ τῶν ἄξεων καὶ τῶν δήμων ἐστηκεν, i. e. *inscripta est statua Mercurialis, edifferens quod in media urbe populoque steterit.* Cui quidem addi poterit incisum antiquis Atticis Literis Epigramma in Cornucopiâ à Miltiade primo dedicatâ. *Pausan. lib. 6. cap. 8.*

Zηνὶ μ' ἄγαλμ' ἀνέθηκαν —— Me statuam posuere Jovi &c.

XIX.

ΚΑΓΩ: ΚΡΑΤΕΡΑ: ΚΑΡΙΣΤΑΤΟΝ: | καργὸν κρατῆσα, καπίσαλον,

ΚΑΙΗΕΘΜΟΝ: ΕΣΓΡΥΤΑΝΕΙΟΝ: | καὶ γῆθμὸν ἐσ προστανεῖον,

(17) ΚΔΩΚΑ: ΜΝΕΜΑ: ΣΙΓΕΥΕΥΣΙ: | δῶκα μνῆμα Σιγειεῦσι.

i. e. *Et Ego Craterem, & Crateris basin, & colum ad Prytaneum, memoriæ ergo dedi Sigeis.*

Quadrarent hæc longè melius si autori sorte Inscriptionis sic eam

(16) "Ιδον δὲ καὶ αὐτὸς Καδμεῖα γερέματα ἐν τῷ ίερῷ δ' Ἀπόλεων. Φέδρος δὲ Ισραὴλις ἐν Θήβαις τῆσι Βοιωτῶν ὥπλα τελποσὶ τοῖσι ἐγκεκλαμμένα, τὰ πολλὰ δέ οὔμοια ἔσθια τοῖσι Ιωνιοῖσι. ὁ μὲν δὴ εἰς τὸ τελπόδων Ἐπίγεφμα ἔχει."

in tripodibus quibusdam incisas, ut plurimum similes Ionicis: unus verò tripodum hanc habet inscriptionem:

Me dedit Amphiryo, gente ortus Teleboarum.

ΑΜΠΗΤΡΤΟΝ: ΜΑΝΕΘΕΚΕΝ: ΕΩΝ: ΕΚ ΤΕΛΕΒΟΑΟΝ.

(17) Aut καὶ istud in καρκασσοῦσι oculorum est, aut erroneè pro ε positum. Sic eodem manū errore inter marmora Oxoniensia in decreto Smyrnæorum, versu 103, τρκις pro τρεις.

i. e. *Quin & ipse vidi apud Thebas Baotias in templo Apollinis Ismenii Cadmeas literas*

K

ordi-

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ordiri placuisse, Φανόδικός εἴμι, &c. Nunc verò ambiguitatem & difficultatem non levem patitur: dum, more proorsus Æsopico, utramque statua personam, & loquentis & donantis, induit. Hoc ipsum, novatori Inscriptionis duriusculum & abnorme visum, in causâ fuit, cur, eliminatâ voce κάγω, pro primâ personâ tertiam, hoc est, ἔδωκεν pro ἔδωκα, hunc ad modum reposuerit: ΚΡΗΤΗΡΑ ΔΕ: ΚΑΙ ΥΠΟ-ΚΡΗΤΗΡΙΟΝ: ΚΑΙ ΗΘΟΝΩΝ: ΕΣ ΠΡΥΤΑΝΗΙΟΝ ΕΔΩΚΕΝ: ΣΥΚΕΕΥΣΙΝ. In quibus etiam κερῆσα pro κεράτερα, ὑποκερητηρίου pro επιτάλου, πρεσβυτηρίου pro πρεσβύτερον, omnia magis Atticè aut Ionicè dicuntur. Sed his omissis, donaria nunc recenseamus, monumenti loco à Phanodico Sigei in Prytaneum posita: κεράτηα nempe, καὶ ἐπιτάλου, καὶ ηθμόν. Hæc quò melius intelligantur, sciendum est Græca illa Prytanea non igni solummodo Vestali, & collocationi statuarum, Prytanum itidem concilio, & concioni⁽¹¹⁾ populi saepiuscule congregandæ destinata fuisse; sed & epulo publicè præbendo, si legatis fortè exteris, aut senatoribus urbis, aut viris illustribus, sic ex decreto meritiss, is honos habendus esset. Hos in usus, suis semper cœnationibus, ornatis quidem & per amplis, ἐξιατόρια Græcè dictis, Prytanea instructa novimus. Cœnationibus istis suæ numerosæ mensæ, mensisque singulis suis integer apparatus, præcipue potiorius fuit. Neque defuere inter principes & illustres viros, qui mensam unam atque alteram, oblatis ultrò muneribus instruerent. Sic Perseus rex ille Macedonicus (quod Livii ipsius verbis testatum velim, lib. 41. c. 20.) Cyzici in Prytaneum, id est penetrale urbis, ubi publicè, quibus is honos datus est, vescuntur, vasa aurea mensæ unius posuit. Tarfenius item Reginus similibus in Prytaneo donariis municipes suos demeruit, secundum Inscriptionem Gruterianam pag. CLXXIV. 7.

TI. TARFENIVS. TI. F. SABINVS. AED. POT
 II. TESTAMENTO. LEGAV+. MVNICIPIB
 RHEGINIS. IVLI. IN. PRYTANEO. STATVAM
 AEREAM. MERCVRI. TRVLLAM. ARGENTTEAM
 ANAGLYPTAM. P. II. LARES. ARGEN
 TEOS. SEPTEM. P. II. L. PELBEM
 AEREAM. CORINTHEAM. ITEM. IN. TEMPLO

(11) *Concioni populi*, unde, & teste He- *κει τὸ Πρεσβυτήριον εἰ 'Αχαιοί. i. e. Achæi lin-
rodoto in Polymniā cap. 197. Λήπτον καλέ- guā suū Prytaneum vocant λήπτον.*

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APOLLINIS. MAIORIS. PVGILLARES
MEMBRANACIOS. OPERCVLIS. EBOREIS
PIXIDEM. EBOREAM. TABVLAS. PICTASXVIII.
HEREDES. EIVS. PONENDA
CVRAVERVNT

Pari igitur pro re suâ magnificentiâ & Phanodicus noster Sigei ad Prytaneum (seu in *Prytanenum*, ut Livio transferre placuit) vasa hæc potoria dedicavit: *κεράνη* dico, & *ἐπίσαλον*, & *ῥιθμὸν*.

1. *Kεράνη*, vas potiorum, ad vina liberè miscenda, fundenda, ebibenda factum, cùm nullam Latinam vocem sibi propriè respondentem habeat, ideo *crater* etiam à Latinis, nonnunquam & *cratera* appellatur. Is sæpiissimè auro, gemmis, & cælaturâ pretiosus, non sine pompâ & coronamento, in symposiis proponi solitus: unde phrasis illa Homerica *κεράνηα σῆσαι*, aut *καθισάναι*, quod & Latinè *craterem statuere*, à Virgilio dictum.

2. Hunc in usum parabatur & *ἐπίσαλον*, quod non nisi per periphrasis Latinè dicitur; sed ad verbum Anglicè, *a Stand.* Fulcrum enim fuit, sive sustentaculum, crateri sic in mensâ sistendo adaptatum. Id clare innuit Inscriptio additicia, *ὑποκεγγήσιον* pro *ἐπίσαλον* substituens: credo scilicet, quia vox primaria aut non satiis recepta usu, aut vetustate abolita videbatur. Hactenus certè in Lexica non irrepit; nisi quòd simile quiddam habeant in vocabulo *ἐπίσηνη* pro *σήλη*, hoc est *columna*, posito. Postea vero hujusmodi sustentacula *bases* vocari cœpta: unde & nos ita *ἐπίσαλον* reddidimus, tum Juris Romani, tum antiquæ Latinæ Inscriptiois autoritate fulti. In Jure scilicet Romano sic loqui amant: *Cui Corinthia vasa legata essent, & bases quoque eorum vasorum collocandorum causâ paratas deberi, Trebatius respondit.* L. hæres meus D. de Legat. 3. Sed & nostro penè par donarium, crateram scilicet cum basi suâ, Inscriptio Gruteriana recitat: pag. XLVIII.

SANCTISSIMO HERCVLI INVICTO

CORPOR. CVSTODIARIOR.
L. CVRTIVS. ABASCANTVS. CVM
CVRTIO. GAVDENTE. FIL.
IMM. A. III
CRATERAM. ARGYROCORINTHAM

CVM.

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CVM. BASI. SVA. ET. HYPOBASI
 MARMOREA
 SVA. PECVNIA. DONVM
 DEDERVNT.
 DEDICAT. VIII. K. IVN.
 SER. SCIPIO. ORFITO. Q. NONIO. PRISCO. CO.S.

Cui affine aliquid pag. xvi. 12. idem corpus Gruterianum exhibit.

EX I U S S U. I. O. M. D.
 L. T E T T I U S. H E R M E S
 C U M. C O N I U G E. S U A E T F I L I S
 E T O M N I B U S. S U I S
 C A N T H A R U M. C U M
 * V A S E. S V A P O S U E R U N T. * i. e. BASE

3. Restat adhuc ἡθμὸς, fundo vas subtiliter & creberimè perforato; colum Latinè dictum; tertia illa, & legitima, supellectilis potoriæ pars. Sic enim ad quæstionem Juris responsum à Pomponio: *In argento potorio esse, non id duntaxat, in quo bibi possit; sed etiam quod ad præparationem bibendi comparatum est; ut colum ὁ urceoli. L. in argento D. de auro & argento Legat.* Statu igitur supra basin crateri & suum etiam superimpositum insistebat colum; talique modo inter se juncta & aptata in nundinis venalia prostitere. Testatur id Julius Pollux, lib. 10. c. 24. ubi ἡθμὲ μαγειοῦν, i. e. coli coquimarii mentione priùs factâ, subdit statim, ἐν μὲν τοῖς δημιοπέραισ ταὶ ἡθμὸς τις ἐπὶ κρατῆρος πέπεσται· ὃς ἵως τοῖς περὶ τὸν οἶνον μᾶλλον προσήκει. i. e. Quinetiam in tabulis auctionariis aliud quoddam colum, crateri superimpositum, venale est repertum: quod quidem ad rem vinariam verius fortasse pertinet. Usus ejus, frigidam ex nive redditam, ipsum etiam vinum, & aromata immixta vino, sine fæce, sine forde, in craterem ⁽¹⁹⁾ purius transmittere. Quamvis enim plebeiæ mensæ sacco ad id linteo utearentur; at pretiosa nobiliorum vina, non sine colo divite, aureo fortè aut argenteo, restinguuebantur. Hinc, apud Martialem in Apophoretis, coli ista nivarii cum sacco nivario comparatio.

⁽¹⁹⁾ Pherecrates apud Athenæum lib. 11. cap. 8. ἀπόνιζε τὴν κύλικα, δώσων πίεν lum. iuxnτα, επιθεὶς τὸν ἡθμὸν. i. e. Bibere datum.

Colum

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Colum Nivarium. CIII.

*Setinos moneo nostrâ nive frange trientes:
Pauperiore mero tingere lina potes.*

Saccus Nivarius. CIV.

*Attenuare nives nôrunt & linta nostra:
Frigidior colo non salit unda tuo.*

Utrumque scilicet ostentat utilitatem suam: Nec immeritò; cùm, pari utriusque beneficio, sordidum omne fecerneretur; κάνωπες præcipue, culicum infestum genus, quod è⁽⁶⁰⁾ sace vini oriundum nativa ubique dolia, & crateras mirè appetebat. Hunc percolandi morem in proverbio notabis Evangelico (Mat. xxiii. 24.) Τὸν κάνωπα διυλίζοντες, τὴν δὲ κάμηλον καλαπίνοντες. Ibi enim Hesychius διυλίζοντες rectè reddidit διηθμεύοντες, διηθεύοντες. Latina pariter versio excolantes culicem: & simili certè modo Anglicana reddere debuissler, which strain out a Gnat, &c. Nunc verò maximè mirandum, phrasí planè alienâ sacram hanc pericopam occupari; legique pas-sim à popularibus, which strain at a Gnat: unde conceptus non verus, ab Hagiographo longè alius ac diversus, audientium animis ingeneratur.

Vasa hæc potoria, solennem alicujus mensæ in Prytaneo apparatus, Phanodicus suâ pecuniâ sacrata voluit: ut essent nempe μῆνα Σιγειένσι, hoc est, sui apud Sigeos monumentum. Σιγειένσι enim Dativus est pluralis à recto singulari Σιγειένς formatus; de quo sic Stephanus de Urbibus, Σίγειον πόλις Τρεωδός, ὁ πολίτης Σιγειένς. Plenam autem & peculiarem vocis Μῆνα in hujusmodi statuis significationem, more suo, hoc est optimo, Maro Poeta extulit; *Quique sui memores alios fecere merendo.* Aen. 6. 664.

XX.

EAN ΔΕ ΤΙ ΠΑΣΧΟ: ΜΕΛΕ- | ἔχει δέ τι πάσχω μελε-

ΔΑ ΙΝΕΝ: *ΕΟ ΣΙΓΕΙΕΣ: | δα· ινε * εω Σιγειεις.

i. e. *Si verò quid patiar, curare me jubebo Sigeos.*

aliter ————— curare me oportet, O Sigei.

Lectorem hìc destituit Inscriptio additicia. At in primariâ ultrius procedit statua; personâ in se receptâ, novâ sanè, & mirum

(60) Aristot. Hist. Animal. lib 5. cap. 19. πὸ δὲ φ. ἵλυρ. i. e. Culices prodeunt è verò ᾧ κάνωπες ἐπι σκωλήκων, δι γίνονται ἐκ τοῦ μελισ qui ex aceti piece oriuntur.

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in modum singulari; ægrotantis scilicet, atque medico egentis. Is namque conceptus & voci πάσχω, & μελεδάνειν, non obscure subest. “Ego verò, si quid patiar (persona inquit marmorea) “ si aliquo me fortè incommodo laborare, ut frangi, aut imminui, “ aut loco dimoveri accidat; accesso mihi medicos, Sigeos a-“ micos meos; hos me curare, & reficere; ab his mihi mede-“ lam adhiberi, jubeo”. Jubebo tamen, in priore hujus opusculi edi-
tione, ranquam *in futuro* reddidi, quia, collatis tribus apographis, levis iste in lapide defectus vestigia vocis ἐρέω (i. e. ἐρῶ, λεῖω, aut ἀπαγγεῖω) non obscura retegebant. Sunt equidem quibus ⁽⁶¹⁾ nihil desecuisse visum, sed pro integro oportere legi, μελεδάνειν ἔω Σιγειῆς. i. e. Sigeis ut id carent permitto, sino, commendō. Me vero à di-
ligentissimo B. Mould posterius acceptæ schedæ tantum non im-
pulere, ut, quod prius, in appendiculâ, conjectaveram, nunc certius.
reponendum putem, ΜΕΛΕΔΑ ΙΝΕΝ ΔΕ Ο ΣΙΓΕΙΕΣ, i. e. μελεδάνειν
δεῖ, ὥ Σιγειῆς, Curare oportet, ὁ Sigei. Neque inaniter hoc sibi
promiserit Phanodicus, cùm apud omnes Græcos hic mos esset (teste
2. in Verrem Cicerone) ut honorem hominibus habitum in monumentis
ejusmodi (i. e. in statuis) nonnullâ religione Deorum consecrari arbi-
trarentur. Unde & Aristides in communi Apologiâ, εἴ τις μὲν εἰκό-
νας—τῦ Δῆμος σήσαντος, ἔκινει, πᾶς ἄν τις ἔφη νεμέσην εἶναι. i. e. Quas
Populus locârit statuas si quis temerè moveret, nemo est qui non
clamaverit, rem esse indignam; omni odio, irâ & vindictâ prosequen-
dam.

XXI.

ΚΑΙ ΜΕΡΟΕΙΣΕΝ: ΗΑΙΣΟΡΟΣ:	καὶ μὲν ἐπόησεν Αἴσωπος
ΚΑΙ ΗΑΔΕΛΦΟΙ·—————	καὶ ἀδελφοί.—————
i. e. Et fecit me Æsopus atque Fratres.	

Antiquis plerisque operibus, ut è Pausaniâ abundè constat, adscripta fuere Artificum celebriorum nomina. Servatâ igitur Proso-
popœiâ, suos etiam artifices opus hoc nostrum jaëtat: *Æsopum*
quendam, atque *Fratres*: hoc est, *Æsopum* operis præfectum,
collegasque unâ statuarios, eâdem cum *Æsopo* operâ, officinâ &
sodalitate junctos. Et esset sanè, quod non sine summâ ratione
jactari poterat, si ὁ Λοζποῖος *Æsopus*, si clarus ille è Phrygiâ Fabu-

⁽⁶¹⁾ Ita fert Epistola eruditî Viri S. Barker, quam privatum ejus humanitatem legatur.
datam Dec. 11. 1722. Quod

lator,

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lator, is fortè fuerit, qui Sigeo nostro lapidi & verba, & vocem, cum figurâ accommodaverit. Quod ipsum ut non temerè nimis affirmari, ita nec obstinatè negari vellem. Ætas enim Fabulatoris apprimè convenit, ut & vitæ ejus historia, saepe cum Solone, saepe cum Periandro actæ. Operam quod attinet lapidarium; nolim huc tortè trahere quod apud Plutarchum, in convivio Sapientum, Æsopo objectum video. Σὺ δὲ τεκτόνων καὶ λιθοζόων ἔργα περιουσεῖς. i. e. *Tu* verò [inquit Anacharsis] *inter fabrorum* & *lapicidarum opera perpetuò versaris.* Quanquam quid vetat pro more istius convivii, jocis & dicteriis pleni, veram illuc Æsopi historiam, & vitæ ejus rationem obliquè stringi? His adde, quod homo ingenio promptus, conditione servus, artem subinde cum domino mutare poterat, & sub uno pistoriā, sub altero statuariā facere. Sed neque omnino negligendum fuerit, inter omnes qui ad nos pervenire lapides, unum hunc βετεροφηδὸν inscriptum, unum etiam præ cæteris insigniter vocalem, & humanâ personâ loquutum innotuisse. Hoc igitur Æsopi quis non commentum dixerit? Ab arcâ nempe Periandri, & à Solonis legibus βετεροφηδὸν exarare doctus, vocem ipse statuæ tanquam de suo indidit; & qui bruta toties animalia induxerat loquentia, nunc etiam & ipsum lapidem de donariis ipsius publicis, & de curando corpore, clare sermocinantem protulit. Nec est cur quenquam moveat sphalma, si quod fuerit, literarium, infra tanti viri famam, & indignum Æsopo visum. Qui enim inventione, acumine, & judicio tantum præstítit, at literaturâ Æsopus præstítisse nullibi, quod sciām, traditur. Sanè eum in conventibus solummodò dictavisse, non scriptas edidisse, Fabulas docta jamdudum fuit Varronum duorum Anglicorum, Gatakeri & Bentleii, observatio⁽⁶¹⁾.

Dabit hic veniam æquus bonusque lector; & in re tam spissè abditâ huic uni forsan ignoscet conjecturæ; cæteris, uti spero, certiore ubique fide, & solidiore fundamento nixis. Sed manum nunc de tabulâ; nisi quod una ad extremum vocula ultro se offerat annotandum. Ea est εποεῖσεν, fallente soni similitudine, (ut superiùs observatum fuit) pro εποεῖσεν inducta. At ipsa interim εποεῖσεν non à ποιέω noto illo & Ionico, sed ab antiquato du-

(61) Vid. Gatakerum de Stylo novi Instrumenti cap. 23. & doctissimi D. Bentleii, Dissert. Anglican. p. 135.

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dum ποέω, Αἴολον magis proprio, deflectitur. Aristophanes &
⁽⁶¹⁾ Theocritus postremam istius radicis memoriam servavere; &
 nata ex eâ vocabula Latina, Poëma, Poësis, Poëta, etiamnum
 servant.

⁽⁶¹⁾ Quod linguâ Ionicâ ποέω, id Doricâ
 & Αἴολικâ ποῶ fuisse, Poetæ veteres tes-
 tantur: ex. gr.

Ἡ καλὰς ἄμμοι ποῶν ἱλελῆθε βῶν. αἰσιδάς.
 Certè nos latuit faciens bona carmina meſſor.
 Ἀλλ' αἰσύνη, καὶ δίκη, καὶ τρεπτὸς αἴτη ποῶ.
 Quin propugna, & insequere, & fac ut

bine vertatur. Vide Theocrit. Idyl. 10.
 38. & Aristoph. Equit. Act. 1. Scen. 3.
 Non dissimilis ista vocum ἀγνόεω & ἀγ-
 νοεω, Βονθίω & Βονθίω variatio. Unde a-
 pud Hom. Il. N. ४. २२. ἔδει γνώμην ἀναλα,
 & in Smyrnæorum & Magnetum Fœdere
 inter Marm. Oxon. ४ ६९. τῷ Δήμῳ Σμυρ-
 ναῖων Βονθίων.

N. B. pag. 20. lin. 22. in quibusdam exemplaribus pro [Rhetor,
 Frater ex Gr. 'Ρέτορ, Φράτερ,] debere legi, Rhetor, Frigus, Frango,
 Francus, ex Græcis φίτωρ, φίγος, φάγω, φάνος, i. e. ἐλεύθερος. Vide
 Hesychium, & annotata ad eundem, in voce mendosâ φρχός.



Notarum

Notarum ad Inscriptionem
APPENDICULA.

UT brevis iste, qui præcessit, Commentarius simpliciore filo deduceretur, visum est tum notas, tum Græca veterum Testimonia, ad imum cujusque paginæ, quæ commodè fieri potuit, rejicere. Hanc verò digneris hîc admittere, Benigne Lector, *Appendiculam*, novâ mihi, sed & justâ nimis occasione, lucubratam: maximè ob Honorem, qualem haud speraveram, à Viro Literatorum Principe, hisce meis conatibus impensum.

I.

PAG 2. lin. 16. *Ingenti cniadam saxe sua ipsius moles, atque magnitudo saluti fuit.]* Ingenti dico, utpote quod novem pedum Anglicorum habeat longitudinem, paulo plus quam cubiti latitudinem, digitorum serè octo profunditatem. Marmor est candore admirabili, figurâ ubique quadratâ, foramen habens in parte ejus superiore excavatum, idque ut alius ei lapis superne immittatur, longum satis, latum, & profundum. Hæc verò & fabrica, & mensura, nunc demum verius & accuratius à Rev. B. Mould communicata, planissimè Hermem indicant, Phanodici olim statuam, nunc, ut cum Luciano loquar, σύλην παλαιὸν νεκρὴν ὑπίλαν, i. e. resupinam mortui veteris columnam. Huic enim funestè accidit, ut & aliis multis Hermis, ex Græciâ in Italiā comportatis, *capitis jaætura revulsi*.

Pag. 4. l. 1. *Hermæ ista statua Phanodici spettatores videtur alloqui Sigei in Prytaneo . . . locata, iterumque pag. 32. lin. 15. ob sua in Sigeos beneficia videtur in eorum Prytaneo statuæ honorem meritus.]* Statuam hîc intelligo Mercuriale, hoc est, caput Phanodici σίδης sive κιον impositum, ut loquuntur Græci; ut Latini, *cippo seu columnæ*. Hoc nempe τελεγράφων ιεραῖς, i. e. operis quadrati artificium primò excultum Athenis, in sacris ibi porticibus, & privatis, visebat: datoque inde exemplo ad alias civitates transiit. Neque Diis solum, ut ab initio, & Heroibus, sed & viris illustribus, ob collata in suos beneficia, teste Demosthene, est tributum. Πλαξ' ἡμῶν εἰσὶ τὰ προσχόντων πολλὰ ἀγάθα τελεγράφων τύποι, . . . θηγεζέμπαλος ἐν τῷ Ἐγείναιον ἵναγχανον. i. e. *Apud majores nostros, qui eos bonis multis operibus demeruerant, Inscriptionem in Hermis accepere.* Orat. ad Leptinem. Taleni nobis statuam Isocratis in Atticis Pausanias descripsit; talem in Corinthiacis Telestilla Poëtria; talem in Phocicis Homeri. Quod si altiora libeat répetere, talem quoque Agamemnoni dicatam, in voce Ἐγείναι, testatur Harpocration, addens etiam inscriptionem antiquis literis incisam,

'Αντί ἐνεργείαις Ἀγαμέμνονα σῆσταν Ἀχαιοι. i. e.
Sic meritum posuit Agamemnona cætus Achivum.

Hujusmodi statuam jam confspeximus in aureo Tarentinorum nummo, è Goltzianis in Tabellam nostram inter pagg. 4 & 5 relato: earumque messem non exiguum, ex Ursino, alibique conquisitam, redonavere Orbi eruditio Antiquitates Græcae Gronovianæ, Vol. II. & III. E quibus integras quidem duas, Isocratis nempe, & Rustici Philosophi, duas item decollatas, Homeri scilicet & Menandri, atque has quidem cum trinis in fronte inscriptionibus, Lectori considerandas sisto. Nostram enim & o-

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pere, & figurā abundē referunt. — Hæc sunt quæ sufficiunt conjecturam nostram de Statuā Phanodici sic factā, sic inscriptā, & in Prytaneo, ubi donaria ejus sacrabantur, Sigei dedicatā.

II.

Video tamen longè aliud censuisse virum verè magnum, & in eruditâ oneri antiquitate felici ingenio exercitissimum. Illo quippe Judice, “ aut nulli tunc temporis suere, aut pauci admodum Statuari. Sigei præfertim, parvo ignobilique oppido. Quod verò ad Prytaneum attinet, “ locum (inquit ille) cibis atque epulis destinatum; mirè esse incongruens, & ab omni longè alienum, ut Statuæ in eo collocarentur.

Proh iniquum igitur Ciceronem, à quo Verri tam atrociter objecta est *Sappho sublata de Prytaneo!* Proh istum valerium, & itinerantium oninum mendacissimum, Pausaniam! Qui Prytanei sæpe factā mentione, non locum nobis exhibet cibationibus solummodo destinatum; sed & curiam urbis; sed & teniplum & penetrale Vestæ; multa labens circuitala, sacra quædam, quædam & communia; atque inter communia, unum quidem cenationem, Græcè οἰκιανόν dictum. Athenis verò percurrentes celebriora Urbis monumenta, πλησίον (inquit) Πρεσταῖον ἐσιν, ἐν τῷ νόμῳ τε οἱ Σόλωνες τοι γεγραμμένοι, καὶ Θεῶν Εἰρήνης αγάλματα κεῖται καὶ Εστα. Αὐθεάντες δὲ ἄλλοι τε καὶ Αυτόλυκος ὁ Πλινεγλαστής. Τὰς δὲ Μιλιάδας καὶ Θεμιστολίνης εἰκέας, ἐπειδὴ καὶ Θερικα μεταγεγνωμένα. Prope est Prytaneum, in quo scripta Solonis leges, positaque sunt Deorum Pacis & Vestie statuae. Sunt illuc aliae quoque statuae; quin et Autolycus Quintertia viator. Miliadis enim & Themistocles imagines mutatis inscriptionibus ad Romanum quendam & Thracem jam fuerant translatæ. Vid. Pausan. Lib. 5. Cap. 15. lib. 1. cap. 18.

Sed neque oppidum fuit tam ignobile Sigeum. Illud quidem, jam direptum, oppidum vocant Mela & Plinius. At urbs fuit Herodoto primas in totâ Troade ante novum Ilium exortum serens; diutini inter Athenienses & Mitylenos belli & causa, & præmium, proposita; florens opibus literisque, postquam illuc commigraverint Athenienses; regnata mox Hegestrato Pisistratidae; & Hippie ejus fratri optabile perfumeum præstans. Sed ut hæc omittam; Qui sacro Prytanæ honore, & magnificentiâ, præluxit, non potuit non esse opulentus & ornatus locus. Alere igitur potuit, aut saltem ad se arcessere Statuarios. Nec erat (proh Dii) tam rara eo tempore Statuaria. Sat diu enim ante Euclidem Archontem, & publicè ab eo acceptum Samium Alphabetum, claruere Dipœnus & Scyllis, Solonis æquales, statuarii; aliisque, inquit Plinius, lib. 36. cap. 5, 6. à primâ usque Olympiade suere. Hinc Delphis leguntur positi Cleobis & Biton; Athenis Harmodius & Aristogiton; positi item in Prytaneo Miliades & Themistocles; positæ etiam & Romæ (quaæ à Græcis hoc didicerat) regnante Tarquinio Prisco, non paucæ statuae; positus & ipse Romulus, anno U. C. xvi, à Victoria coronatus in Vulcani aede. Hæc vero quid commemorem? cùm millenis ante Euclidem annis viguerit Sculptura Statuarum; docente nos doctissimo Pausaniâ, sub Polycrate quidem Samio as primò susum, at à Danai usque temporibus Σόλων, hoc est, sculpta ligno, aut lapide, simulacea, ut infinito pene numero, ita summo fuisse in honore. Ad Statuarum formam quod attinet, eam antiquitùs fuisse Mercuriale, hoc est, columnarum modulo, quadratam, & prælongam, eruditè notat Clemens Alexandrinus Stromat. 1. adducens scilicet è deperdito Poëta . . . κινά μαργύριασσε, i. e. prælongam Junonis statuam. Nam (ut inquit ille, Admonit. ad Gentes, pag. 29.) πελνίας αγαλμάτων χέτει, κίνας λεάτεις οι παλαιοι, ἵστεον τέτεις οι αγαλμάτα τῆς Θεᾶς. i. e. Cùm nondum exquisito habitu perfecta fuere simulachra, columnas figebant veteres, easque ut collocatas Numini Statuas colebant. Manxit autem Ερμογλυφικὸν nomen Arti statuariæ, morem modumque veterum statuarum apud seros usque posteros testata. Vide sonnum Luciani.

III.

Pag. 7. lin. 6. *Hoc ipsum (aspirari nempe vocem Ἡθὺς) Græcus Apollonii Scholastes disertè monuit.]* Ἡθὺς δασωθεῖα, i. e. Vox θηθὺς aspiratur clamavit olim eruditissimus

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simus Apollonii Scholia. *Ἡθὺδες δασινέαι*, vetustæ servator Orthographiæ, vetustus nunc clamat Lapis. His verò non auditis, verba Henrici Stephani recoxit Vir doctissimus, contrarium ab exemplaribus, & à composito ἀποθίω, fraudere tendens. Sed errasse potius Grammaticos, veteresque exemplarium exscriptores, tam fido nunc adjutus testimonio, Scholia. vincent. Interm rectè non procedit à compositis ad simplicia Virorum doctissimorum argumentum. Nam, præter omnia Ionica, in communis etiam dialecto quædam simplicia aspirata amittunt in compositione aspirationem. Atque hoc quidem composita vocis *Ἡλιός*, *ἀπηλιώτης*, *ἀπηλιαστής*, *ἀλιάτος*, & alia id genus luculentè monstrant. Non equidem is sum, qui, ob dictionem serò nimis errorrem, omnia ubique exemplaria protinus mutanda cupiam. Sed cum plurima sint simplicia nunc leni, nunc aspirata insignita; idque ob nullam aliam rationem nisi quia de verâ eorum aspiratione dubitaverint Grammatici; in hac saltem classe à Lexicographis & ἡθὺδες accensum velim. Talia sunt ἵππος & ἵππος, ἴωμος & ἴωμος, ἄλυτος & ἄλυτος, cum similibus. Scholia. interim verba sic se habent ad lib. 1. p. 1294. τὸ δὲ *Ἡθύδες δασινέαι*, καὶ τοι τὸ ἦ ἱχον ἀργὸ τῷ θ', τῇ ἐννέᾳ τῷ θῶ μέλλοντος δασινέων. i. e. Vox ἡθύδες aspiratur, quamvis θ habens ante θ, idque ratione futuri θω aspirati.

IV.

Pag. 16. lin. 3. 9. εἰς αὐτὸς λίθος εἴης αὐθεντας καὶ τὸ σφελας. non sum ejusdem lapidis statua & basis.] Arbitratur Vir doctissimus Senario isti à Delo insula versiculo preponi devere T literam, bis mille & quod excurrit annorum spatio, injuria sorte aliquâ extitam. Ita ut contrario jam sensu legatur & intelligatur τῷ αὐτῷ λίθῳ εἴης αὐθεντας καὶ τὸ σφελας, i. e. Ejusdem sum lapidis Statua & Basis. Hæc & me primâ statim facie subibat cogitatio, eamque disticho firmandam duxi, quod ad basin Obelisci Byzantini, sub terræ aggere, adscribitur,

*Hic lapis est unus: die nunc quā est arte locatus.
Si nunc sunt bini, dic ubi contigui.*

Sed mutavi mox sententiam, cedoctus à Whelero Sponioque non ita pridem extitisse, in Delo insula, & colossum & colossi basin, utrumque à se invicem divulgum: quin & adhuc, teste Tournefortio, illæsam manere basin, sic ut retulit inscriptam, figurâ perfectè quadratâ, nulloque uspiam fracturæ indicio; ita ut diviso à Statuâ lapide fabrefactura fuisse constet. Förs quidem, ante æream Niciæ palmam, qua gravi ruinâ lapsa evexit hoc opus colosseum, laus ei unius lapidis & ostentatio jure competebat. At refectione de novo Statuâ, iterumque super candem basin à Naxiis, qui eam olim dedicassent, erexitâ, credibile est uni basis lateri inscriptum fuisse literis ætati isti congruentibus, ΝΑΞΙΟΙ ΑΠΟΛΛΩΝΙ; ac in altero (poscente tum sic rei veritate) antiquum initiale T deletum. Supersedi tamen inani conjecturâ, & ab iostituto suscepiti operis alienâ; contentus, quod mearum erat partium, ter in vetustâ inscriptione o loco s legisse, & neglectum aliis F Æolicum inter duas vocales ostendisse. Vid. Tournefortii Itinerarium. Epist. 7. & adductam illuc è Plutarcho subversæ statua Historiam.

V.

Pag. 19. lin. 1. *Alia non pauca omissa aut immutata, quæ, collatis inter se invicem inscriptionibus, additicioꝝ, præ primariâ, novitatem certo certius loquuntur.*] Negat vir doctissimus brevioris bujuscem inscriptions præ longiore illâ novitatem. Sed præter interna tot critica, (pag. 18, & 34 notata) provoco nunc pleniū ad externam utriusque faciem: Breviorem nempe Inscriptionem, ad exemplum longioris, undecim versiculis extensam: Nec non (ex relatu Rev. B. Mould) justas illas quidem longioris Inscriptionis lineas; brevioris autem vagas, enormes, graciles; levissimèque, in extimâ lapidis superficie, superinductas potius, quam incisus. His accedit conjectura, quam nunc demum, nec, ut spero, improbandam profero: incisam nempe fuisse in superiori, vacuâque lapidis parte, breviorem hanc inscriptionem, cum reficeretur sorte, & curaretur, ex Phanodici rogatu, processu aliquo temporis passu detrimentum

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trimentum Statua. Quâ quidem occasione, nec immeritò, tuim vocem μνήμας omissam cernimus, tum τὸν δὲ τοῦ πάχω, & quæ sequuntur ad finem usque inscriptionis. Non est interim cur miretur Vir doctissimus, rogitetque, *cur in parte lapidis inferiore primaria incisa sit inscriptio, terra mox aggrestu, foribusque, & sentibus obscuranda?* Cùm enim Stela, sine capite imposito, novem habeat pedum altitudinem, basique trium minimum pedum sub tecto superstructa fuerit; rectissimè à Stelæ medio, aut paulo supra medium, incipere debnere versus; eâ nempè parte monumenti, quæ legentium staturam, & prætereuntium oculos æquaret.

VI.

Pag. 31. lin. 30. Φανόδικος εἶμαι] i. e. *Sum ego Statua, aut imago Phanodici, intellectā voce εἰκὼν, ξέανον, ἄγαλμα aut ἀνθελάτης* non aliter ac vox Νόμος in Numismatis ΑΜΥΝΤΑ, ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΤ, ΛΑΕΖΑΝΔΡΟΤ intelligitur. Dubitavit valde Vir doctissimus, an nomen personæ, enī Statua honori obigit, secundo unquam casu indicaretur. Sed dubium hoc clara eximunt exempla, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΜΙΘΡΙΔΑΤΟΥ basi antique Statuae in Delo insulâ inscripti: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΝΙΚΟΜΗΔΟΥ in eâdem insulâ: L. JUNII RUSTICI PHILOSOPHI STOICI, & ΜΗΤΡΟΔΩΡΟΤ ΤΟΥ ΕΦΕΣΙΟΥ, inter antiquitates Grecas Gro-nianas, Vol. III. ubi tamen dubium facit mancum initio nomen annon ΕΡΜΟΔΩΡΟΤ legendum fuerit: de quo Plinius lib 34. c. 5. Fuit Hermodori Ephesi [Statua] in Comitio, legum, quas Decemviri scribebant, interpretis, publicè dicata.

VII.

Pag. 34. lin. 3. *Utramque statua Personam, & loquentis & donantis, induit.]* Hoc, uti dixi, duriusculum & abnorme visum, frustra emendare voluit Vir doctissimus, dum vocem ΚΑΓΩ ad primum inscriptionis membrum, præpostero verborum ordine, nec ferendo, retulit. Redit enī in sequente membro extrudi visa persona; & nolit, velit emendator, in voce Ιδωκα intelligetur. Hoc verò tam abnorme & duriusculum cùm graves plerique auctores in se admiserint; quid mirum si rudi fortè lapidis inscriptori accidisse reperiatur? Perfacile sancè imaginis, & personæ ab imagine expressæ, notiones inter se invicem permutantur. Atque hinc illud Pausaniæ, statuas in Prytaneo recitantis. Sunt illic, inquit, ἀνθελάτες ἄλλοι τε καὶ Ἀυτόλυκος ὁ παλαιότερος: i. e. *tum alias imagines, tum Autolycus: quod rectius Autolycus, casu prorsus secundo, efferendum esset.* At Historicus ab imagine ad personam σχηματίσας, ut ait Thucydidis Scholia, αὐτολλύκως, & αὐτολλύθως transit. Par quoque & ipsius Patris Enni, à suâ ipsius imagine inexpectata ad se ipsum transitio. Sic enim antiquum epigramma.

*Aspice, O civis, senis Enni imagini' formam:
Hic vostrum panxit maxima facta patrum.
Nemo me lacrumeis decoret, nec funera fletu
Facit. quur? volito vivu' per ora virum.*

Ubi NEMO ME &c. phrasî insperatâ, lectorem nil tale opinantem excipit.

VIII.

Ad Pag. 35. Dixeram fortè vocem ἵπισατον tanquam ignotiom in longiore inscriptione per Στατηφίγον, tanquam per notiorem, in breviori explicatam esse. Sed hoc convellens Vir doctissimus ἵπισατον in Libris incassum querit; & abesse iisdem Στατηφίγον non rectè opinatur. “*Invenitur, in Ariophane ἵπισατον;* at “*Στατηφίγον nullibi nisi in hoc lapide.*” Jam verò ut moto sine causâ dubio satisfaciā, contrarium, hoc brevi additamento, ostendendum duxi. Haec tenus (aiebam) vox ἵπισατον in Lexica non irreplit, nisi quod simile quiddam habeant in ἵπισημa pro σύλη posito. Sed addo nunc, Στατηφίγον à Pollice, idque simili planè sensu, recenserit: Lib. 10. cap. 22. Occurrat etiam λαβήγον ἐπὶ τῷ ὑποσάτῃ, i. e. lavacrum fulcro impositum,

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in Pausan. Phocicis. c. 26. Erravit vero Vir doctissimus dum, nescio cui fisis Scholia, Aristophaneum istud τέτισάται à recto ἐπισάλος sustinuit deflectere, quod verè quidem ab Ἐπισάτη, statuentibus sic Suidā Stephanóque, deflectendum fuerit. Neque apud Comicum vox ista (quod pro certo habet Vir doctissimus) focarium instrumentum denotat; sed Larem familiarem, Deum ἵπτη Ἐπισάτη, Foci Penetralis Præstitem, signo ibi parvulo sacramatum. Græcis enim Δαιμόνες ἐπισάται, qui Romanis Dii Præstites & Præsidēs fuere. De quibus Ovidius in Faſorum quinto,

*Præstib⁹ Maiæ Laribus vidēre Calend⁹
Aram confitui, signaque parva Delim.*

Eops igitur, in Avibus Aristophanis, duos, qui advenere, fugitivos ad ξυρονίαν, adeoque ad Focum Larium, quō familia convenit, admissurus, Age (inquit p. 561)

Ἄγε δὴ σὺ, καὶ σὺ, τὸν πανοπλίαν πάλιν
Ταύτην λαβόντες κερμάσσαλον, Τυχῆ γαθῆ,
Ἐτι τὸν εἶσω, πλησίον τῷ πισάται. i. e.
*Age tu, tuque alter, armaturam iterum (quam p̄fūisti)
Hanc capientes, suspendite eam, Bonā cum Fortunā,
Interius in foco, prope (Larem) Præstitem.*

Ιτανος iste à cavitate Æolibus κοικον vocabatur, Laresque in eo positi coillo potentes, secundum Inscriptionem à Tertulliano, in libello de Spectaculis, servatam. Arma verò, idque prope Lares, suspendere solenne semper fuit fugitivis, sospitatis tandem & periculo defunctis. Quæ res & ejusdem Ovidii carmine celebrata est,

*Miles ut emeritis non est fatis utilis annis,
Ponit ad antiquos quæ tulit arma Lares. Trist. 4. El. 4.*

Quod si alio teste, aut auctore, indigeat hæc nostra interpretatio, accedat Plautus, Aristophanis non raro imitator, qui, habito ob oculos ultimo illo versiculo, in suam eum transtulit Auctulariam, Act. 2. Scen. 8.

*Nunc triculum emi, & basce coronas floreas:
Hæc imponentur in foco nostro Lari.*

Vox igitur ἐπισάλος, sive ἐπισάλος malit Vir doctissimus, non nisi manifesto errore Aristophani tribuitur. At, quam ille vocem alijs ignotam statuit, οὐτεκρήγειον clare satiis ab Herodoto, quanquam οὐτεκρήγειον dicitur; ab Athenæo vero, & Plutarcho, explicatur. Λλυάτης ὁ Λυδὸς (Lib. 1. cap. 26.) ἀνθυκενίς Δελφὺς κεράτη τε σεγύνεον μέγαν, καὶ οὐτεκρήγειον σιδήρεον κολλητὸν, θεᾶς ἀξίον, i. e. Alyattes ille Lydus Craterem ingentem argenteum apud Delphos dedicavit, & Hypocraterium parvulum, ferreum, conglutinatum, contemplatu dignum. Quæ quidem Herodotea respiciens sortè Athienæus (lib. 5. cap. 13.) οὐτεκρήγειον interpretatus est ἰγλιθέην, ίγλιθην vero λεβέτων υποθήματα, hoc est, Pulris lebetes sistentantia. Addit ille ex Simonide, ίγλιθην καὶ ἵπτης κυπελλαν, i. e. Incitetae & incitetae infilans foculum. Pro ίγλιθην vero (ut obiter id moneam) scribendum esse ίγλιθην, detorta ex eo inciteta vox Latina indicat. Interea rem totani conficit, quām felicissimè, hoc ipsum Herodoti οὐτεκρήγειον. Nam ad Pausanias usque tempora servatum minutum ab eo in Phocicis cap. xvi. describitur, vocaturque ιπόθημα τὸ Λλυάτης κεράτης, i. e. Halyattis crateræ basis: iterumque, ίδει τῷ κεράτῃ, i. e. cratera, sedis instar, inferviens: à Plutarcho vero πλειστὸς τῷ κεράτῃ ίδει, ἦν Ἡρόδος οὐτεκρήγειον αἰνόματον, i. e. celeberrima Crateris fedes, quam Hypocrateriolum Herodotus vocavit. de Orac. def. p. m. 436.

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IX.

Pag. 37. l. 39. ΜΕΛΕΔΑ. INEN**EO ΣΙΓΕΙΕΣ: μελεδαίνεται ἐφέω Σιγεῖς] Sequutus sum religiosè trium Apographoruni ductus: quorum unum habet INEN E*EO, alterum INEN*PEO, tertium, omisssis duabus literis, INEN**EO. Quòd si conjecturæ indulgendum fuerit, legerem sanè ΜΕΛΕΔΑ· INEN: ΔΕΟΣΙΓΕΙΕΣ, i. e. servatā vetustā orthographiā, μελεδαίνεται, ὡς Σιγεῖς, curare [me] oportet, O Sigei. Sed non eadem in antiquos lapides, ac in Auctores toties exscriptos, Criticis permissa est potestas. Non veretur tamen Vir doctissimus renitentem etiam & reclamantem Sigeum lapidem conjectando sic refinare . . . Μελεδά νῦν ιδειν Σιγεῖς, i. e. cura erit, ubi opus habeam, Sigeenibus. Μελεδη enim (inquit Vir doctiss.) vox est Hippocrati eo sensu usitata. Verum non per placet ista lectio, quia voces οὐτε νῦν nullum habent sensum nisi qui praecesserit in istis εἰς δὲ τι πάχω. Adde quod, ex lege vetustæ Orthographiæ, istud ΙΝΑ sine Η literâ initiali non esset depingendum: cuius tamen in Apographis nec vola nec vestigium.

Omitto notare Σιγεῖς à Viro doctissimo repositum, cùm Σιγεῖς Dativus sit pluralis paulò antea in hoc ipso lapide adhibitus. Nequo tanien non notare noctum istud Μελεδη pro Hippocratico hinc falso venditatum. Μελέτη quidem & Μελεδάνω, cum derivatis ab eis μελεδώ & μελεδάνω, voces sunt Hippocraticæ, non raro inter divina opera, ut proprie, & genuinæ, agnitiæ. At μελεδη istud Hippocrati primus adscripsit Stephanus; post Stephanum Foësius; & hanc demum occasione, post eos Vir doctissimus. Sed nullus ei, inter voces Hippocraticas, apud Eretianum, Galenum, aut veterem aliquem Lexicographum est locus. Neque mirum, cùm μελεδη non nisi pro μελέτη, idque semel tantum in exemplaria irrepserit, Librariorum vitio, temere nimis & pro τι (ut fit ferè in cognatis literis) exarantium. Pravus ille, & magni quidem Stephani deceptor, locus, in Edit. Gen. 1657. pag. 616, 617. de morbis mulierum, sic se habet: Ἡν μὴ μεγάλα ἔλκεα ἔχει . . . μελεδανοφρήν εὐ τάχει ύγιανει· χρῆ δὲ μελεδη προσίκειν εὐ τάχει, ἐν ἔλκεα εὐ τῷ μήτερι ἐν. i. e. Ni magna habeat ulcera, Medicum citid naicta convalescit Mulier. At oportet curam citid adhibere, utero si insint ulcera. Hæc verò sorte fortuna ex eodem tractatu pag. 696. repetita sunt, ubi μελέτων locum suum lectione non dubiâ tuetur. Ἡν μὴ μεγάλα ἐν τῷ τάχει, μελεδανοφρήν εὐ τάχει ύγιανει. Χρῆ δὲ τῷ μελέτων ἀργενέως στοίχεος ἔλκεων τῶν εὐ τῆσι μήτεροι. Cui quidem & aliud illud suffragatur pag. 591. Εἰ δέ τοι καὶ ἔλκεα γίνεται εὐ τῆσι μήτεροι, καὶ δέσποινται προσίκειται τῇ μελέτῃ. Facessat igitur vox Μελεδη, quam uno tantummodo loco exhibit exemplaria, eandem in alio corrigentia; quæque à nullo, ante Stephanum, Lexicographo, sive ex Hippocrate, sive ex alio aliquo auctore, adducitur. Facessat, inquam, ex Hippocrate vox Μελεδη, quanquam obliquè eam tuentibus & Stephano, & Foësio: multoque ocyus facessat ex novo Aretæi Indice, in quem clanculum, post obortam hanc Falsi suspicionem, præter omne librorum jus, & consuetudinem, irrepit. Quanto autem satius, sine inauspicato hoc tentamine, ΜΕΛΕΔΑ. INEN interpretari μελεδαίνεται, hoc est verum in Æolicâ inscriptione agnoscere Æolissimum. Vulgo enim notum Æolum infinitivos in ει terminatos: unde ετείρε & ανατινάχειν in Cretensi, apud Oxonienses, marmore. Quin & vocalium & & i alterius ab alterâ divulsionem, post Eustathium & Priscianum, quos adduxi in Commentario, Salmasius ex arcans prodidit. Epist. lib. 1. Ep. xcvi. Άολες qui diptongos nullas agnoscabant, aliorum dividebant: ut πᾶς pro πᾶς, κοῖλος pro κοῖλος. Sic pro ἄιψι dixerunt ἄιψι. Nil interim resert quā notâ signetur hæc divisio, seu digamma hoc fiat interposito, seu relicto inter vocales hiatu, seu duobus in vocis capite apiculis.

X.

Pag. 38. lin. ult. Si δὲ λοοποιὸς Άεσόπος is sorte fuerit, &c.] In dubium vocat Vir doctissimus an serio hujus operis artificem Άesopum Fabulatorem statuam. Ego verò nequaquam id statuo: sed verecundus, & suspenso calamo, veniamque sincerè deprecans, & ne verisimilia quædam hue facientia imprudens neglexisse videar, Lectori hanc injicio cogitatiunculam. Dixi tamen, iterumque non vereor dicere, Hoc ipsum ut non temere nimis affirmari, ita nec obstinatè negari vellem. Quanquam enim

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ex adytis profatur vir doctissimus Æsopo non suisse fratres; at mihi nil opus hoc oraculo, qui fratres non intelligo uterinos, sed Collegii fabrilis socios. Non mihi autem, sed ipsi se lapidi opponit, dum tres numero artifices uni operi non patitur adscribi. Æsopus enim, fratreisque, quicunque aut hic, aut illi fuerint, tres fuerint necesse est. Et quanquam non nisi durâ lege ad proferenda hujusmodi exempla adigamur; duos tamen unius operis Artifices non semel memorat Pausanias: quin & tres (ni fallor) in Epigrammate dulcissima exhibet Anthologia; in Append. ad Brodæ Epigram. p. 13.

'Αγχάσιος δ' ἐποίητε Τρόφωνος ἥδ' Αγαμένες. i. e.
Anchastus fecitque Trophonius atque Agamedes.

XI.

Quidni autem plures uni se operi adscriberent, quum, lege elegantioris Statuarie, unum idemque opus à pluribus non raro perficeretur; prima scilicet potiorque pars à primis & potioribus, inferior verò à secundæ, tertiae, & quartæ aliquando classis operariis? Hosce fabros secundarios, arte atque ordine inferiores, *imos* Horatius vocat: simulque *vetus* illud Statuarie institutum aptissimè sic depingit;

*Æmilium circa ludum faber imus & ungues
Exprimet, & molles imitabitur ære capillos,
In felix operis summa, quia ponere totum
Nesciet.* de Arte Poet. vers. 32.

Heus verò! hoc ipsum *faber imus* expulsum ex Horatio Bentleiano, & in ejus locum *faber unus* securè receptum cernimus. At ignoscet, spero, fortè & gaudet, Vir doctissimus, *unus* Horatii amicus atque vindex, si, ope nunc Græcæ Inscriptionis, revocetur illa constans & antiqua lectio, quæ in omnibus ubique apparuit, ante eum natum, exemplaribus. Binas ad rem nostram facientes manu ipse propriâ desumpsi Thyatiris, quæ mox, inter ejus urbis inscriptiones, edi atque explicari postulabunt. Interim earum unam, quanquam loco non suo, proferam: quoniam opportunè fert suppetias tum laboranti Horatio, tum præsenti, quod tractamus, argumento. Λικίνιον. Ρυφίνον. Συγχλήσικον. νιον. Δικινίον. Ρυφίνον. ει. περ. τον. ηερχετεν. πρεσβιτεριον. νεανικον. και. καλα. το. αρχαιον. τε. τελ. i. e. Licinium Rufinum senatorium Filium Licinius Rufini posuere, qui sunt circa Herculaneum Ludum, primarum Scholarum Juvenes, quique secundum *vetus* institutum, sunt tertiae, circa eundem, Scholæ. Qui mature hæc perpendit videbit illud Horatianum, *Æmilium circa ludum faber*, aptissimè respondere Græco δι περ τὸν Ηερχετεν νεανικον, alterique illi, quod frequentius fuit, δι περ τὸν Διόνυσον τεχνίται. Simulque *imus* quem dixit *faber* respondet tertiae isti artificum, circa ludum Herculaneum, Scholæ. Porrò plures in hoc lapide artifices, ut in nostro Æsopus atque fratres, unum idemque opus manifesto sibi vendicant.

XII.

Hæc sunt quæ notatu non indigna videbantur, post scriptas ad Illustrissimum Amicum, &c, scriptoris ipsius jussu, mecum communicatas literas. Jamque pauca essent expendenda, quæ me publicè quidem, sed & humanissimè commonescit pereruditus ille Literaturæ elegantioris promus condus Michael Maittaire. Vide ab eo edita Miscellanea Græcorum aliquot Scriptorum carmina, p. 180, & seqq. Verùm huic quoque, ex superiori notatis, de vocibus ἴπισαλον & ὑπορεπτήσαν, deque notho isto Μελεδα non in lapidem arcessendo, abunde satisfactum spero. Interim unicè est orandus Vir rei Grammaticæ callentissimus, neu velit nobilissimæ Inscriptioni & decus, & florem, & omne penè premium deterere, dum literas ο & ε breves pro longis hinc assertit usitatas; osiliacet pro ω substituentibus Æolicis, at & pro η Doricis scriptoribus. Quid enim? nullam hæc satentur dialectum, sed verum illum & antiquum Græcæ linguae Genium;

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Genium; qualem Latina ab ipsâ accepit, hodieque servat; dum, quinque vocalibus contenta, quantitatem literatum o & ε non signat picturæ diversitate, ore tantum & aure dimititur. Sic igitur ante Euudem Archontem, non solum apud Æolas Dorasque, sed mediis etiam Athenis exarari suetum. Monstrat hoc Iapidis Baude-lotiani titulus, quem, hac quidem occasione, ex Palæographiâ Montfauconti, oculis, quantum id typi patientur, nunc subjiciam. ΗΟΙΔΕ : ENTOI : ΠΟΛΕΜΟΙ : ΑΠΕΘΑΝΟΝ : ΕΝΚΥΠΡΟΙ : ΕΝΑΙΑΤΠΟΙ : ΕΝΦΟΙΝΙΚΕΙ : ΕΝΑΙΕΤΣΙΝ : ΕΝΑΙΑΙΝΕΙ : i. e. εἰδε ἐν τῷ πολιμῷ απίθανος, ἐν κύπρῳ, ἐν Αιγαίῳ, ἐν Φαινίᾳ, ἐν Αλιεύσι, ἐν Λιχίᾳ. Nemo in his dixerit aut ε pro ω, aut ε pro η, breves pro longis, substitutas. Sed nondum inventis, aut saltem nondum acceptis Simonideis longarum formis, una illa & perpetua ε & ο figura, ut hodiè in Latinâ Filiâ, ita tunc in Matre Græcâ, tum brevem tum longam designabat.

Eodem erravit tramite Vir alijs certè Κελικάτας, dum non concedit voces ιαί-
ωνος & ηαδελφοι ex articulis ο & οι meditante synalœphâ esse enatas. Reclamant in-
quit Synalœphæ & Craeos leges: nam ο α in ω, οι α in η coalescunt, ut ω̄ εχων & η̄ εχην.
Pari ratione voces supradictæ fierent ο̄ εωνος & η̄ διλαφοι. Recte quidem ista; si age-
retur de inscriptione & de Grammaticâ post Euudem natâ. Nunc autem clament
quantum poterint Craeos & Synalœphæ leges: at fortius, credo, reclamabit Sigeus
Lapis, “ natum se eo seculo in quo ο nondum natum fuit; prouinde iis se non legibus te-
neri.

Frustra ab eodem M. M. exagitata est vox ιείω tanquam ab Homero cum accu-
sativo solummodo, aut dativo, neque sensu jubendi, usurpata. Sed nostro planè sensu,
& Syntaxi non dissimili, Patrocli jam defuncti imago sic alloquitur Achillem, Il. 4.
v. 83.

Ἄλλο δέ τι ιείω καὶ ιφέομαι, αἴκε πιθηκοι,
Μὴ οὐδὲ τὸν απάνδετε τιβήμενον οἴτε, Ἀχιλλεῦ. i. e.

Iffero præterea, mibi si concedis, Achille,
Offa tuis uno mea ponere juncta sepulchro.

Sciet etiam ιείω (non aliter atque verbum ειεῖν apud Evang. Matt. iv. 3. & saepius apud Thucydidem, notante id clariss. Hudsono ad lib. 7. §. 29.) recte pro jubebo possum: ut docet ejus contrarium αιεῖω, verbō significans. Interim hæc duo Græca, inter se contraria, à contrariis duobus Anglicanis to bid & to forbid, longè ap-
tius reddentur. Ego enim neque Græcum ιείω, nec Latinum jubebo notione imperandi capio; sed bortandi, rogandi, volendi: Quo sensu Lectorem demum salvare, valere, sine livore esse jubeo.

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P. 18. col. 2. l. 3. απολήψεως leg. απολήψεως. 28. col. 1. l. 3. à fine eruditissimâ leg. erudi-
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Psephisma

Psephisma SIGEORUM,

ad Regem ANTIOCHUM SOTEREM,

Et secundam ejus Uxorem,

Sororem Reginam, spectans.



INscriptionem Sigeam antiquissimam, non solùm βετροφηδὸν exaratam, sed & Cadmeis literis insignem, excipiat Sigea altera, quâ (si Teiam exceperim & Bosporanam, mox, Deo volente, secuturam) vix ulla, ut opinor, è Simonideo ducta Alphabeto, vetustior ad nos pervenit. Claræ enim Chronicæ marmorei Epochæ quatuordecim post annis, Archonte Athenis Diogneto, sunt descriptæ. Et cùm Stela illa celeberrima Oxoniensis, Magnetum & Smyrnæorum sœderi dicata, non nisi Seleuci Callinici Majestatem spectet; hæc avo ejus Antiocho Seleuci Nicatoris Filio firmatum Imperium gratulatur; secundo, ut videtur, post occidum Seleucum anno, æræ Seleucidarum 35, ante Christum 278. Sciat interim Lector, permissam mihi humanissimè egregii lapidis descriptionem, ab illustrissimo Armigero, Edwardo Wortleio Montague, à Regiâ nuper Majestate ad Portam Ottomanicam Legato. Is enim illum reperit Sigei, intra parietes istius Templi Christiani, cuius fores Phanodicus noster custos immotus servat. Repertum Eruditissimus Legatus aureis aliquam multis redemit à Sacerdote Græco; redemptumque secum in Britanniam auro contra non carum reportavit. Sic igitur marmorea stela, parte sui inferiore mutilata.

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 39. ΓΤΜΝΙΚΙΠΑΓΝΙΟΠΑΝΟΠΛΩΦΕΤΗΝΚΑΙΤΟΣ ...
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 45. ΚΑΙ ΤΟΤΣΦΙΔΩΣΚΑΙ ...
 46. ΜΗΝΚΑΙΑΗΟΑΓΙΣΑΜ ...
 47. ΑΤΤΟΤΒΑΣΙΑΙΡΥ ...

Idem Psephisina scriptio hodiernā repräsentatum, Latineque redditum, restitutis usque ad versum 39. quibusdam, quæ sugere, literis.

1. Ἐπιμηιδόνος Νυμφία τῇ Διόλρεφας,
 Ἐπισατάθηθὲ δὲ Διονυσία τῇ
 2. Ἰππομεδόνος, Δημήτερος Δίης ἄπει.
 Ἐπειδὴ βασιλῶς Ἀντίοχοῦ βασιλέως
 3. Σελδίκα εὐ δέρχῃ τε ωζαλαβὼν τὴν
 βασιλείαν, οὐ προσᾶς εὐ-
 4. δέξεις καλῆς αἰγίστεως ἐζήτησε τὰς
 μὲν πόλεις τὰς καὶ [τὰ] τὸ Σε-
- Epimenia procurante Nymphio, Diotrepheis F. Epistatam verò agente Dionysio Hippomedontis F. Demetrius Diis F. sententiam dixit. Quoniam Rex Antiochus Regis Seleuci F. & ab initio adeptus regoum, instansque bono & pleno gloria proposito, quæsivit quidem, quæ in

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5. λαθκίδα, αθειούμβριας ὅποι καιρῶν δυσ-
χερῶν, οὐδὲ τὰς διποτάνιας
6. τῷ μὲν περιβάτων, εἰς εἰρήνην οὐ καὶ
δέχαιαν Σόδαμονιαν καλασθούσι,
7. τὰς δὲ ἐπιθεώμενας ποιεῖς περιβάτων,
ελθάνε, καθάπερ οὐδὲ δίκαιον, αἴνα-
8. κῆπος αὐτὸς τῷ μὲν πατέρῳ δέχεται· διὸ οὐ καὶ
χρηστόν θεόν περιβάτην καλή οὐδὲ δίκαια
9. καὶ λαβάνον δὲ μόνον τὰς φίλας, καὶ τὰς
διωμάτες, εἰς τὸ ἀντιλαντοσαῦτον περι-
10. τῷ μὲν περιβάτων αὐτῷ περιβάτων, αὐτῷ
λαβά οὐδὲ διωμάτον ἔννεν οὐδὲ σω-
11. εργὸν, τὰς τε πόλεις εἰς εἰρήνην, οὐ
τῷ μὲν βασιλέαν εἰς τὸ δέχαιαν οὐδὲ
θεσιν
12. καθεστονεῖ· Νῦν οὐδὲ περιβάτην περι-
τὰς τόπους τὰς ἀπίταδες τὴν Τάρες
13. μετὰ πάσης περιβάτης οὐδὲ φιλόμητας, οὐδὲ
οὐδὲ τῷ πόλεσσον τὸ εἰρήνην κατεσκε-
14. απεν, οὐδὲ τὰ περιβάτηα οὐδὲ βασιλέαν
εἰς μάζω οὐδὲ [τελεωτ] εργὸν οὐδέθεσιν
15. αγήγοχε, μάλιστα μὲν διέταξε τὸν διά-
την, οὐτα οὐδὲ διά τὴν φίλαν οὐδὲ τὸ
16. διωμάτεαν ἔννοιαν. "Οπως δὲν οὐδὲ μόνος,
επειδὴ οὐδὲ προστοστονέας [εχάσ] καθ' οὐ καιρὸν
17. παρέλαβεν τῷ μὲν βασιλέαν, οὐχίας οὐδὲ
θυσίας ὥστε αὐτὸς πάσι τοῖς θεοῖς
18. διέτιλεν ποιεύμενον, οὐδὲ νῦν ἔννεν οὐδὲ
οὐδὲ αὐτὸν [διέτιλεν] εστιν ἔχων
19. φανερὸς οὐ τῷ βασιλέᾳ, Τύχη τῇ αγαθῇ
δεδόχθει τῇ β[αλῆ καὶ] τῷ
20. δέμῳ, τῷ μὲν προστοστονέαν οὐδὲ ιερονόμον,
οὐδὲ τὰς [προτύλαν] εστιν οὔξατ-
21. Θα τῇ Ἀθηνᾷ τῇ Ἰλιάδι, μετὰ τῷ
περιβάτηαν, τέλος τε περιβάτηαν γει-
22. νέναι τῷ βασιλέως, οὐδὲ αὐτοφῆς αὐτὸς
βασιλίσκης, οὐδὲ τὴν φίλαν,
23. οὐδὲ τὸ διωμάτεαν, οὐδὲ γίνεσθε τά τε
ἄλλα αἴσθατα τῷ βασιλέᾳ, οὐδὲ τῷ βασι-
24. λίση τῷ πάτερα, οὐδὲ τὰ περιβάτηα οὐδὲ τῷ
βασιλέαν αὐτοῖς διερμήνειν λαμβάνε-
- Seleucide sunt urbes, difficultate tem-
porum implicitas, culpi quorundam
qui se
a rerum statu alienos gestabant, in pa-
ce & pristinā felicitate stabilire;
factoque in eos impetu qui rerum in-
vaserant administrationem, pater-
num, uti aequum fuit,
imperium sibi recuperare; quamobrem
& bonā & honestā diligentia usus,
& accipiens secum, non solum amicos
& copias militares, ut certatim &
promptè ei pro Republicā adessent, sed
& ipsum Deum fautorem locumque
operis, & urbes in pace, & regnum in
dispositione pristinā
- stabilivit: Jamque veniens ad ea loca
quae sunt intra moutem Taurum,
omni curā studioque, simul urbibus
pacem procuravit,
simul Rēpublicā Regnumque ad
ampliorem statum, & meliorem dis-
positionem
perduxit; maximè quidem propriā sui
ipsius virtute, deinde etiam amico-
rum &
potestatum benevolentia; Ut ergo Po-
pulus (quoniam quo tempore
Regnum capessit, supplicationibus &
victimis pro eo Diis omnibus
attentè facieus perseveravit) nunc e-
tiam bonum animum & eandem erga
Regem dispositionem habentem
clarè se demonstrat, Bonā Fortunā
placere Senatui
Populoque, & Sacerdotem ipsam, &
Sacerdotum Magistros, & Prytanes
supplicationem
Minervæ Iliensi facete, unā cum Le-
gatis, tum ob adventum
Regis, & sotoris ejus Reginæ, & Ami-
corum
& Potestatum; tum quod alia quoque
bona & regi eveniant, &
Reginæ omnia, quodque Respublica &
Regnum ipsis permaneat,

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25. σαν Πηδεσιν, καθάπέραις αὐτοὶ προσκαλέσαντο. Εὐχαρίστησαν τὸν τῶν ἀλλαγῶν εἶται καὶ
26. ιερεῖας, μῆτρας τοῦ θεοῦ βασιλέως Ἀντιοχοῦ, τῷ τε Ἀπέλλωνι τῷ δέκατῳ ζεύντοι.
27. τὰς φύρας αὐτῆς, καὶ τὴν Νίκην, καὶ τὸ Δίδυμον τοῖς ἀλλαγῶν θεοῖς πάσι καὶ πάσας. Αὕτη γένεται.
28. ταῖς οἰκίαις τῆς μητρὸς Ἀθηνᾶς σωματεῖασσάτωσαν τὸν πομποφόρον καὶ τατόν πομπόν θεοῦ.
29. σιάν οὖς τε Ἱερονέμου, καὶ οἱ Προφήται, μὲν τοῦ Ιερεῖας, καὶ τῶν πρεσβύτων, τῷ δὲ Ἀπόστολῷ.
30. λλαντοὶ τοῖς ἀλλαγῶν θεοῖς οἱ σεργίγοντες μητρὰς τῶν ἀλλαγῶν * ιερεῖων. Οταν [τοι] ποιῶσι θυντήσι.
31. σιάν, σεφανηφορεῖσαν. Οἱ τε πολῖται, καὶ οἱ πάρεποι πάντες καὶ σώματα δημοσίᾳ.
32. ας σωματεῖασσάτωσαν θυσίας τοῖς θεοῖς οὔτε τὸν τῶν βασιλέων καὶ τὸν δῆμον [Σιρείων]. Τὰ δὲ
33. εἰς τὸν τιμητὸν καὶ δόξαν αὐτοῖς συμπατακοδιάζων οὐ δῆμος παρέξει εἰς τὸν θρόνον.
34. νέστη μὲν αὐτὸν ἡπτὸν τὴν ἀριθμὸν καὶ τὴν ἀνδρεγενεῖαν τῇ [ποσαύῃ], σηστού τε αὐτῆς εἰς.
35. κίνα γενοῦντος ἐφ' ἵππῳ ἐν τῷ ιερῷ τοῦ Αθηνᾶς ἐν τῇ Σιρείων πόλει,
36. ἐπὶ Βίηματος τῷ λαβυρίνθῳ· καὶ ὅπλη γεγίψαι, Οὐ δῆμος [Σιρείων βασιλέα] Αὐτοῦ.
37. σχοῖνος βασιλέως Σελεύκου Λισσαῖας ἔνεκεν τὸν εἰς τὸ ιερὸν [ναόν], Ἐνεργείτω καὶ Σωτηρ.
38. τῆρες γεγονότα τῷ Δήμῳ. Αἴρονται δὲ καὶ εἰς τοὺς πανηγύρεις καὶ ἐν τῷ ἐνεστῶτι.
39. γυμνικῷ αὐγῶν πόνῳ αἰλινοθέτειν καὶ τοῖς Λιχηρίσιας τὸν τιμητὸν
- incrementum etiam accipiens, prout ipsi praecoptant: Supplicationem item facere alios aliasque Sacerdotes, unū cum Sacerdote Regis Antiochi, & Apollini generis ejus auctori, & Victoriae, & Jovi, & aliis Diis, & Deabus omnibus: Quinetiam una cum supplicationibus, Minervæ quidem legitimum & prescriptum sacrificium peragunto Sacerorum Magistri, & Prytaues, cum ipsa Dea Sacerdote & Legatis; Apollini vero ceterisque Diis Praetores, cum aliis Sacerdotibus. Cum vero sacrificia peragunt, coronas gestanto. Civis quoque & Incolæ omnes, & contubernales, Diis publica sacrificia peragunto, pro Rege, & Populo Sigeorum. Quæ vero ad honorem & gloriam Regis pertinebunt populus apparata habeat præbeatque; tum ad laudandum eum, ob Virtutem Fortitudinemque tantam; tum ad ponendum ejus statuam Equestrem aurcam, in Templo Minervæ, quod est in Urbe Sigeorum, supra Basin candidi Marmoris: eique sic inscribunto, *Populus Sigeorum hoc honore prosecutus est Regem Antiochum Regis Seleuci F. ob suam erga Minervæ Templum Pietatem, Benefactorem & Soliterem Populi.* Huic vero Honorem & in Panegyri, & in proximo Gymnico certamine, ab Agonothetâ & præconibus proclamatum iri

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Inscriptionem NOTÆ.

¶. 1. **E**πιμενίδοις Νυμφία.] i. e. Epimeni agente, celebrante, procurante, sacrificante Nymphio. Fuere verò Epimenia sacrificium quoddam epulare, à Collegis Sacerdotibus per vices procurari suetum. Liba in eo & mellitæ placenta epulonibus & convivis, magno numero vocatis, distribuebantur: Primò quidem noviluniis (unde & vocis notatio) adstringebatur. Postea, pro re natâ, & celebriori quâvis occasione, aliis etiam mensis diebus indici cœpit. Singulis verò Diei Epimeniæ actis adscribebatur Sacerdos, sacram procurantis, nomen: Qui nunc homos indictâ die Epimeniâ, & convocato senatu, ut de honorando Rege Antiocho consuleretur, Nymphio cuidam obtigit. Verus hic & germanus Epimeniorum sensus non ex Hesychio aut Harpocratiorne, vim vocis solummodo notantibus, erundus erat, sed ex Epietetæ apud Gruterum Testamento pag. ccxvi. maturè nimirum observatis & perpensis in eo vocibus, Θημελία, Θημελία, Θημελία, Θημελία, item phrasibus, ἐγέρθη τὸς τε Θημελίος, i. e. sacerdotes Epimenios describito; εἰ Θημελία θύσιες τὰς θύσιας, i. e. Epimenii sacrificia peragentes, εἴ μνη Δελφινιώι αμέρεις τρεῖς θυσίες Θημελίοις, i. e. in mense Delphino, tres dies indicens Epimenios, θύει τὰν μὴ τὰν πρόταταν Θημελίοις ή Μάσαι, κ. λ. i. e. primo die Epimenius procurantem sacrificare Mujs, &c. Adde ex vetusto apud Athenæum Psephismate, τὰς Θημελία θύσιας μὲν τὰν πρόταταν, i. e. Epimenia peragat Sacerdos una cum collegis epulonibus. lib. 6. cap. 6.

Ibid Θημελίοις . . . Διονυσία.] Epistolam agente Dionysio. Apud Sigeos, composito ad exemplum Atheniensium statu, duplex fuit Epistolæ Magistratus. Alter annus; cui in partem officii cessit custodia ærarii, & sigilli publici, fortitò ex Prytanibus creatus; diurnus alter, electus è Collegio Proœdorum quotiescumque Populi aut Senatus concilium cogeretur. Presidebat igitur actis curie; ejusque decretis, una cum Sacerdote Epimenio, & senatore qui sententiam dixerit, nomen suum adscribebat. Nobili hâc occasione ad decernendum Regi Antiocho honorem senatus populusque uno & eodem cœtu congregabantur. Separatim tamen leguntur in Magnetum & Smyrnæorum foedere Ἐπιμήνιοι ή βαλῆς, & in Sherardiano Stratonicensi marmore Ἐπιμήνιοι ή βαλᾶνες, at in Lege apud Aeschinem Ἐπιμήνης ή Προσέδρων.

¶. 2. ἵπειδη Καστός Ἀντίοχος Κασιάς Σελδίς εὐ δόχη τε πλειάτων τὴν βασιλείαν, κ. λ.] Annus jam agebatur à Seleuco Rege Syriæ nuncupato, hoc est ab initio ære Seleucidarum, tricelimus tertius, ante Christum ducentesimus octogesimus; cùm, nunciatâ è Macedoniâ Seleuci nece, Antiochum ejus filium, Stratonices noveræ conjugem, turbulentæ res in Syriâ, & in Afîa ultra montem Taurum, exceperæ. Signatur hic rerum status in exordio Psephismatis, nec non in historiâ Memnonis, quam excerpit & servavit Photius; Cod. cccxlv. cap. 16. ο δὲ Σελδίς Ἀντίοχος πωλοῖς πολέμους, εἰ δὲ μόδις, η δὲ πάσσαν ὅμως, ἀναστάψαν ή παλαιῶν δόχην πίμπει σφιγγὸν Παλεοκλεα. Καὶ ἐπειδόμενοι εἰς ή Θημελία τε ταῦτα. i. e. Antiochus Seleuci F. cum multis jam bellis, idque ægrè quidem, neque universum tam n. conservasset paternum imperium, Patroclum ducem, cum deleatu, mittit in regionem citra montem Taurum. Hæc ad Antiochi annum primum, eundemque ante Christum 280um, omnino referenda; quia Patrocles ab istâ expeditione redux, à Zipæte seniore, Bithynorum Rege, jam vivente, est occisus; qui moriens eo ipso aut proximo saltem anno Bithyniæ regnum Nicomedi filio reliquit.

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ψ. 3. τῷ μὲν ξασιδέαν. ψ. 6. τῷ μὲν περιστάτων. ψ. 20. τῷ μὲν ἵρεαν.] Propositis his exemplis lectorem ne notare pigcat, literam lingualem & in μ labiale toties hic conversam, quoties vocem præcesserit à labiali β, aut σ, aut μ incipientem: id quod in aliis ejusdem ævi lapidibus, in compositis Græcis ἐμέλλω, ἐπιπίω, ἐμφίω, in Latinis *imbiho*, *impono*, *immuto*, similibusque observandum venit. Nimirum hunc induxit usum soni facilior prolatione, dum duæ cognate literæ uno oris nisu exprimuntur. Hinc autem vera illa & antiqua Elementi β, compressis labellis, pronunciatio, hoc saltem loco atque tempore, demonstratur; quicquid in contrarium olim edixerit Gardinerus Cancellarius Cantabrigiensis, aut Basileæ nuper peroraverit doctissimus Westenius.

ψ. 3. & 4. Προσὰς καλῆς αἰγίτεω] Bonum sibi præfigens institutum, aut bono adhærens propoſito: sensu quidem non admodum vulgari; quem tamen D. Paulus in capite ad Titum tertio bis admisit: versibus nempe 8, & 14, καλῶν ἡγεμονίαν προστάσῃ. Non dissimile ē Thucydide adducit Stephanus, προστάκειαν τῆς μελαθοῦς, & ē Themistio Budæus, ἡ προστάκεια τῆς δίκης. Anglicè igitur προσὰς felicius quam Latinè redditur, *standing to, insisting upon, &c.* Hæc vero omnia comparentur cum opposito ἀποσάντας τῶν περιστάτων in seq. versu 5.

ψ. 5. καλῶ Σελεύκιδα] Errore credo marmorarii pro καλῶ Σελεύκιδα. Erat verò Seleucis Syrie Regio quarta, ad mare vergens: ubi Antiochus opportunè compescendis motibus intentus missos sibi à Philetæro Pergameno Patris Seluci cineres recepit, eosque Seleuciæ maritimæ in Templo, Nicatorio dicto, Appiano teste, tumulavit.

ψ. 5. & 7. Δονσάλας τὸ περιστάτων & Θηβαῖς τὸ περιστάτων.] Vox περιστάλα apud optimos quoque auctores, idem quod nunc apud nostrates, *Affaires & Things* significat; res nempe, Rēpublicam, rerum summam, negotia, potentiam, & majestatem Regni: familiarius tamen de Regum Syriacorum rebus dicebatur; ut constat ex nostro marmore; ex Magnetum & Smyrnæorum fœdere; nec non ex Machabæorum scriptore; apud quem notandæ phrases, περιστάτων Θηβαῖς, 2 Mach. iii. 38. ἀλλότερον γεννέας τὸ περιστάτων, iv. 21. ἀλλότερα Φεονῖν τὸ περιστάτων, xiv. 26.

ψ. 8. παλαιῶν αἰχλῶν.] Syriam intelligit intra Euphratēm & Mare Mediterraneum sitam, Asiamque intra montem Taurum: Transeuphratensem enim Regionem jam oīl, ferè tredecim retro annis, unā cum uxore Stratonice, Antiocho, dilecto suo Filio, concederat Seleucus.

ψ. 9, 10. λαζῶν....Δαμασίου δύναντος καὶ Κυνεγού.] Sententia verè pia & magnæ erga Deum fiduciae plena. Accedit enim ad illud Marci Evangeliste xvi. 20. ὃ κνεάν συνεγένετο, Pauli item i ad Cor. iii. 9. θεοὺς γάρ τοι μόνον Κυνεγού nisi quod verear hic per Δαμασίου intelligi Genium Alexandri M. cui devotus Antiochus noster, & insomniis per eum monitus, posthac triennio, præclaram illam de Gallis victoriā reportavit. Vid. Lucian. Vol. i. p. 499. Nummumque excellentiss. Devonie Ducis, pag. sequ. 58.

ψ. 9. τὰς φίλας καὶ τὰς διωμέτου.] Ita scilicet in Oriente de subjectis Regi Satrapis & Dynastis amabant loqui. Versio enim LXX. huic lapidi coæva, sic habet Estheræ cap. ii. 18. fecit Rex convivium magnum, τὰς φίλας αὐτοῦ καὶ τὰς διωμέτου, cùm in Hebreo sit Principibus suis & servis suis. Et postea Maccabæorum scriptor i Macc. xii. 43. ἐπέταξε τὰς φίλας καὶ τὰς διωμέτου αὐτοῦ. Cùm verò Δυνάμει secundum vulgarem vocis notationem reddiderim copias militares; easdem scilicet quas & Anglicè *Forces* dicimus; meritò tamen dubitandum, annon hic Δυνάμει signifiet Δυνάσσει; non aliter ac ἴχσει apud Divum Paulo pro ἰεραῖς gerente, & Potestis, apud Varronem & Juvenalem, pro potestatem habente ponitur. Ex eâ certe Potestatis notatione, & Italicum *Potestā*, & Turcicum *Potestā* enatum.

ψ. 9. εἰς τὴν ἵραγνησαντας τὸν i. e. ut certatim eum adjuvent. Sic in Smyrn. & Magn. fœdere, p. 12. τῷ δῆμῳ Ευκλεου ἱγνωστον, & Joan. xviii. 36. ὁ ἵπηρτας ἀν δι εμοὶ ἱγνωστο.

ψ. 12. νῦν ἡ πλευρὴ τοῦ εἰς τὰς τῆς Θήταδε τὰς Ταῦρας, κ. λ.] Pergit nunc Psephisma ad expeditionem eis montem Taurum, quam, anno Regni secundo, præsens pise Antiochus contra Nicomedem suscepserat; mortem scilicet Patroclis, & exercitū

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tūs excidium, ulturus. De eā sic idem Meimnon, cap. xvi, ἀφ' ταῦτα δὴ θεσμοῖς
ιγνωστὸς Ἀντίοχος τῷ Βιθυνῷ, ὁ τέταρτος Βασιλεὺς Νικομήδους διαπρεσβεῖος πρὸς Ἡράκλειαν Συμμαχίαν αἰτῶν. i. e. Hanc ob rem Antiocho contra Bitynos bellum decernente Rex eorum Nicomedes Legatos ad Heraclenses mittit, auxilium ab iis petens. Iterumque cap. 19.
Ἐπωνυμίας Ἀντίοχος Ἀντίοχος τῷ πρὸς Νικομήδους χειρίζεται πόλεμον· ὁ δὲ Νικομήδος. . . .
τετράς τετραπάδεκα συμμάχους λαμβάνει, καὶ λοιποὺς αὐτούς αὐτούς τῷ Ἀντίοχῳ σύντηκτοι οἱ τοῦ αὐτού πολιτεύσατες ἀλλήλους, εὐδέτεροι μάχης ἦξεν, ἀλλ' * αὐτούς διελθόσαν. i. e.
Nondum Antigono collisus Antiochus contra Nicomedem Bellum suscipit. Nicomedes autem
triremes tredecim auxiliares accipit, & classem tum demum Antiochi oponit clavis. Ali-
quamdiu verò alter alteri oppositus neutrā ex parte fecere initium pugnæ, sed manibus non
concertis recessere. Apprimè hæc consonant Psephismati. Clavis scilicet Antiochi
Helleponi sauces occupantes, præsens ipse, & ad omnem eventum paratus, Sigei
substituit, unā cum Reginā & Dynastis & universo comitatu Regio. Idque grāte
nunc recolens Sigeorum Populus, nullā pugnæ fætā mentione, solo Regis adventu
stabilitum imperium, & servatas intra montem Taurum civitates, gloriatur.

ψ. 12. Θεραδε ταύτης.] Non hīc lego cum vulgaribus ēτι τάδε, sed ēτι τάδε, ad
normam adverbii ταύτης contraria verò significat, nempe *is*, *citra*, *intra*, *ultra*;
pro loci & loquentis ratione; sicut & γάρ apud Hebræos, & πιεγρα apud Evangelistas
Græcos.

ψ. 14. τὰ περὶ πολιτείας τῆς τοῦ Αριστοτέλη εἰς μέλισσαν τοῖς Διόγειοι ἀγνόεσσα.] Non
incongruē in lacunā τελεωτέρην leges, ut 3 Macc. iii. 26. διελέγαμεν . . . ταῖς εἰς μέλισσαν τὰ
περὶ πολιτείας τῆς Βελλίσης Διόγειοι καταστήσασθε. Quæ libentiūs hīc allego ut
scilicet notetur phraseologia per totam hanc Inscriptionem cum Phraseologiâ Macca-
baicâ conspiratio; nimurum Hellenicâ puritate jam tum apud Syros in Hellenisticam
degenerante. Observanda etiam in lapide vox ἀγνόεσσα, pro quâ ἀγνόεσσα in libris.

ψ. 20. τοῦ μηδὲ λιγέσσων, καὶ λεγονόμου, & τῆς Περιάνθεως ἐνέκαστη τῇ Αθηναῖς τῇ Ιλιάδι, κ. Λ.]
Lucescit hīc Minervæ Iliensis Religio, per sacerdotem sc̄eminam & λεγονόμου, hoc
est, sacerorum sub eā magistros, & Prytanes administrata. Nimirūni, vastato quanquam
Ilio, & portato in Italiam Palladio, revixit tamen in Troade Minervæ Iliensis
cultus. Huic (inquit Herodotus) mille boves Xerxes immolavit, ex Asia in Europam
trajecturus: Huic etiam, teste Arriano, litavit Alexander magnus, fætā jam ex Europa
in Asiam exscensione. Eādem nūc Antiochus religione motus supplex adiit πὸν Ἀθη-
νῶν τὸν ἐν Σιγάνῳ, i. e. Minervæ apud Sigeos templum, sic scilicet ab Herodoto in
Terpsichore cap. 95. appellatum: inferius verò versu 35. τῷ λεγονῷ τῷ Αθηναῖς ἐν τῇ Σι-
γανίᾳ πόλει, i. e. Minervæ in Sigeorum civitate templum.

Notetur in eodem versu vis vocis λιγέσσων, ubi, ut supplicatio apud Latinos, non
tam precationem, quam gratiarum actionem denotat.

ψ. 22. Εἰ βασιλεὺς ἐστὶ ἀδελφὸς αὐτῷ βασιλεὺς.] Non nihil hīc accedit lucis ad stemma
Regum Syriæ plenius evolvendum. Huic scilicet Antiocho, Soteri appellato, aliam
fuisse uxorem, præter Stratonicen Novercam, ex Polyēno viri docti collegere; at
eandem fuisse ipsius sororem nūc primum ex hoc lapide compertum est. Polyē-
ni verba, lib. 8. c. 50. sic se habent. Ἀντίοχος ἐπονομάζεται Θεός, ἵνα τοιούτοις
ὄνοματεσσοι ἀδελφοὶ [non utique ὄμορφεσσοι] εἰσὶ, κ. τ. λ. i. e. Antiochus cognomine Theus Lac-
dicens uxorem duxit ex eodem, quo ipse, patre (Antiocho Soteri, at matre non eadem) natam,
&c. Ut igitur Antiochus Theo dicto, parentes suere Antiochus Soter & Stratonicę,
ita & Laodice ejus uxori idem pater fuit Antiochus Soter; at mater, quæ, in nostro
lapide, Regina, Soteris soror, appellatur. Nomen ejus vix ullibi servatur: at cre-
dibile est fuisse germanam mariti sororem, ex iisdem quibus ipse parentibus, Seleuco
Nicatore, & Apame Persicā matre genitam. Non diu igitur post patris Seleuci ob-
itum Stratonicen novercam & uxorem amiserat Antiochus: tantum abest à vero quod
contra omnem Historiæ fidem Julianus in Misopogone tradidit, recensatam eam vi-
vente patre, & demum, eo mortuo, acceptam. Tutius longè, tum aliis, tum Plutar-
cho, in Demetrii vitā, creditur, nuptam Antiocho Stratonicen, & in novum Regnum
Tran-

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Transeuphratense duetam, statim postquam pater ejus Demetrius Macedoniae sibi Regnum usurpaverat; decimo nono videlicet, aut viceculo æra Seleucidarum anno. Fia mortuæ, inducta est secunda uxor, in Inscriptione nostrâ *Soror Regina* appellata. Eiusque, ut videtur, est caput illud muliebre, quod, in nummo Regis Antiochi Soteris, Inscriptionis titulo subjici. Præsert enim iste nummus Elephantum, notum illud Victoriae de Gallis reportata symbolum; quo tempore Antiochus Sororem hanc Reginam Matrimonio sibi junctam habuit, mortuâ jam, aliquot annis, novercâ uxore Stratonice. *vide notam ad vers. 8, 9, 10, 38. cum stemmate sequenti.*

Stratonice Seleuci = Seleucus Nicator = Apame Seleuci
uxor secunda. | uxor prima.

Eadem Stratonice No. = Antiochus Soter = Soror & secunda uxor
verca, & uxor prima. | Antiochi Soteris.

Antiochus Theus = Laodice.

γ. 26. τῷ ιερῶς τῷ τῷ βασιλίως Ἀντιόχῳ.] Gliscit in his verbis non serva tantum, sed & prosana Græcorum adulatio, quâ Alexandri successores Σωτῆρες Θεοὶ solenni rescripto appellavere. Per pulchrè hanc Atheniensibus in Demetrio exprobrat Plutarchus. Μάνοι, inquit, [Αἰτωλοῖς Δημήτεροι & Ἀντιόχοις] Σωτῆρες αὐτοῖς φέρεται θεοί, & οἱ επώνυμοι καὶ πάτερον Ἀρχοντα καταπαύσαντες ιερά Σωτῆρων ιεραρχίαν καθ' ἔκαστον έμαυτον. i. e. Demetrium & Antigonus fili omnium Athenienses Servatorum Deorum titulo in asta retulerunt; abrogatoque patrio Archonte, urbis nomen serente, Sacerdotem Servatorum singulis annis creaverant. Pari titulo οἱ ιερῷ οἱ τῷ βασιλίως, i. e. Sacerdos Regis Antiochi Soteris, hic Sigei constitutus, ejus adhuc viventis Σωτῆρων testatur. Huic, & Seleuco patri, idem Lemni quoque attributum Atheneus, l. 6. c. 16. assentione ibi graphicè descripta, prodidit. Οἱ Αρχοντες, inquit, Αἰτωλοί μόνοι ναὸς καλεοντες αὐτοὺς Σελάδης, άλλακτοι, τῷ ψῷ Ἀντιόχῳ, i.e. Qui Lemnum incolebant Athenienses Templa extruxere non Seleuci solum, sed & filii ejus Antiochi. Facile ex his patet, cur in Magnetum & Smyrnæorum marmore, versu 101, 'Ο Θεὸς καὶ Σωτὴρ Ἀντιόχει, pater nempe Antiochi Thei, & Seleuci Callinici avus, geminato sic titulo designetur: paratumque jam responsum clariss. Joanni Harduino; qui in Chronologîa Vet. Testam p. 173. verborum hâc structurâ deceptus, Antiochum primum & secundum, patrem scilicet & filium, Soterem & Theum, in unum temerè confinxit; & Antiochum Theum ex canone Regum Syria expunxit. Obiter enim patrem Antiochum, ut & solennius ejus ex Stratonice novercâ filium, Θεὸν appellatum novimus. Sed & ipse præstantissimus Spanhemius verba ista Θεὸς καὶ Σωτὴρ Ἀντιόχῳ de Antiocho Theo filio (patris scilicet Soteris Σωτῆρων non advertens) malè videntur accepisse, de usu numism. p. 415.

γ. 26 & 27. τῷ... ἀπόλλωνι τῷ Ἀρχηγῷ τῷ ψῷ τῷ αὐτῷ] Nota, ex Justino, malè gloria sabula, quâ Apollinem auctorem generis Seleucidarum præ se serebant. Seleuci mater Laodice, cum nupta esset Antiochus, clero inter Philippi duces viro, visa est sibi per quietem ex concubitu Apollinis concepisse; gravidamque saeculam, munus concubitus annulum à Deo accepisse, in cuius gemmâ anchora sculpta esset; jussaque donum filio, quem peperisset, dare. Admirabilem fecit hunc visum & annulus, qui posterâ die, ejusdem sculpture, in lecto inventus est, & figura anchoræ qua in femore Seleuci nata cum ipso parvulo fuit. Quamobrem Laodice annulum Seleuco, eunti cum Alexandro magno ad Persicam militem, edicto de origine suâ dedit. Ubi post mortem Alexandri, occupato regno orientis, urbem condidit, ibique gemina originis memoriā consecravit. Nam & urbem ex Antiochi patri nomine Antiochiam vocavit, & campos vicinos urbi Apollini dicavit. Originis ejus argumentum etiam in posteris manxit: siquidem filii nepotesque ejus anchoram in femore veluti notam generis naturalem habuere. Justin. lib. 15. cap. 4. At quid verius, aut quid clarius, ex hoc tanto hiatu colliges, amice Lector, quâm incestam hanc familiam, ex nothâ prorsus origine, & congressu adultero prognatam?

γ. 28.

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¶. 28. νομίζουσθέως ἡ ταπειρώσθως θυσίαν] à voce νόμῳ, & legem significante & legitimam consuetudinem, νομίζουσθέως θυσίαν interpretabere justum, legitimum, solenne, ordinarium, ex præscripta nimurum lege, & recepto more, non ex novâ aliquâ superstitione aut privatâ religione introductum, sacrificium. Jubebat scilicet Lex Atheniensium Θεῖς τημάνιν ἡ Ἡγεμονίας εἰς κοινῷ, ἐμπονίοις παλαιόis νόμοις. i. e. Ritu communi venerari Deos & Heroas indigetas, secundum patrias, easque sub pœnâ indictas, leges. Unde & in xii Tabulas Romæ quoque illatum; separatim nemo habebit Deos. Hoc igitur sensu & Epicsteta, in supra laudato ipsius Testamento, νομίζομενα dixit & νομίζομενα i.e.g. Maccabœorum auctor (2 Macc. xiv. 14) Τὸν νομίζουσθέων θάλλων. Josephus quoque in Antiq. lib. 4. c. 4. τελέσθω τὰ τὰς θυσίας νεκρομορφά. Thucydides lib. 6. c. 69. σφάλια τὰ νομίζουμα, & alicubi, tametsi non succurrat locus, δύχις νεκρομορφά. Hinc igitur explicandus, simul & reddendus, D. Lucas, Act. xvi. 13. ἢ ἐνοπίσθε περοστὴ καὶ ἄνεα, pro quo pessimè Latina Verio (ut & citato Maccabœorum loco) ubi videbatur oratio esse. Rectè Anglicana aliæque, where Prayer was wont to be made. Paulò tamen melius, where Prayer was appointed to be made.

¹ 33. εἰς τὸ τιμητὸν καὶ δόξαν αὐγονόβα.] Ita & de Antigono Macedoniæ Rege Polybius 1. 2. c. 70. ἐπειδὴ τὸ Νερεῖων πατρίσιεν . . . τυχῶν παῖδες τῷ πρώτῳ δόξαν τὸ τιμητὸν αὐγονόβαν. Notanda quoque τιμὴ καὶ δόξα in Nov. Test. s̄epissime coniuncta.

¶. 32, 35, 36.] Ter excidit, ab extremo horum versuum, Populi Sigeorum nomen: quasi de industria, ad hanc præcipue partem, destituente lectorum lapide. Illud verò in honorario hoc Psephismate, in æde Minervæ posito, non tam malâ fortunâ factum reor, quâm invidiâ Iliensem, qui, Strabone teste, Sigeum urbem delevore. Cùm verò disertè in Herodoto legatur τὸ Ἀθραῖον εὐ τῷ Σιλεῖῳ, pariterque in versu lapidis 35^{to} τῷ ιερῷ τὸ Ἀθωῖον εὐ τῷ Σ... non potui non illic legere Σιλεῖον πόλιν. Quo dato, & in fine versuum 32, & 36, idem Σιλεῖον nomen reponendum fuit.

¶. 34, & 35. Lego in lacunā [σησαὶ τε ἀδέσ εἰ] κύρια χρυσοῦ ἐφίστη; & adduco ex Diodoro Siculo consimile quoque Atheniensium eodem serē tempore de Demetrio & Antigono Psephisma, lib. nempe 20. ubi Archonte Anaxicrate ἐψηφίσασθο χρυσᾶς μὴ εινόντας ἐφίστησαν τε Αὐλιγύρον τὸ Δημητρεῖον. i. e. statuas curules aureas Antigoni & Demetrii ponendas decrevere.

§.37. ἐνετεῖας ἔνεκ τὸ εἰς τὸ ιερὸν.] Pari honore Delii in Arundeliano marmore Reginam Laodicem Seleucis Philopatoris uxorem prosequuntur; nempe ἀγέλης ἔνεκ τὴς διοτεῖας τὸ οὐκτὸν τὸ ιερόν. pag. 142.

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alienum ratus, partam sibi & suis per sedecim belluas Σωτηρίαν cum pudore & lacrymis est proffessus: ideoque & erecto post prælium trophæo nil nisi elephantum inscribi jussit. *vid. Luciani Zeuxida sive Antiochum. p. ed. Var. 583.*

Sotera verò inscribi, si vel unius solummodo populi aut civitatis fuerit, hoc quantum est? Ita magnum, inquit Cicero, (in Verrcm. 2.) ut Latino uno verbo exprimi non possit. Is est nimirum Soter qui salutem dedit. Sed auxit titulum Nero, Σωτὴρ inscriptus & ὄντες. Quibus commotus Divus Paulus, & terrenum Soteris honorem præ cœlesti indignè ferens, non sine honestâ æmulatione quosdam monet è Philip-pensisibus; coloniaæ nimirum jure, & civitate Romanâ, & Sotere Cæsar gloriantibus; Ἡμῶν . . . πολιτώμα εὐ σεγνοῖς θωάρχαι, εἰς τὸ Σωτῆρα ἀπεκδέχομεθα κύνεον Ιησοῦν χριστόν. i. e. Nobis est in cœlis civitatis jus (non ut habet Latina, aliæque multæ ver-siones nostra conversatio in cœlis est, sed) nobis est in cœlis civitatis jus: unde etiam So-tora exspectamus Dominum Christum. Phil. iii. 20. Ita igitur Chrysostomus in locum, πάντα ήμεν ἐν ἡξακοτέσσιν καὶ Σωτήρ, καὶ πόλις, καὶ ὁ τε ἀνέποντις. i. e., Omnia nobis sunt in cœlis: & Soter, & civitas, & quodcumque quis optaverit. Præterea, aut ego egregie fallor, aut idem ille D. Paulus, & καὶ εὑρετις, & ἀπόστολος, & διδάσκαλος ιερῶν, falsos Σω-τῆρες Θεοὺς toties à Græcorum Præconibus annunciatos, toties in nummis & lapidi-bus inscriptos detestatus, veram idcirco appellationem Σωτῆρος ήμεν Θεος, non semel, ad Timotheum & Titum scribens, unico mundi Salvatori, Deo atque homini asse-ruit. *vid. 1. Tim. i. 1. ii. 3, 7. 2 Tim. ii. 10. 11. Tit. i. 3, 4. ii. 10, 13. iii. 4.* Quo intuitu & Eusebius piè gloriatus est jam tandem Romanos Imperatores χριστόν τε τῷ Θεῷ παῖδα, παρεκπανία τῶν ὅλων ὄμολοστον, Σωτῆρα τε αὐτὸν ἐν στήλαις αναστένειν. i. e. Christum Dei Filium Univerſi Regem profiteri, quin & Sotera eum in columnis renuntiare. Euseb. Eccl. Hist. l. x. c. 4.

ΔAIMONION ETNOTN KAI ΣΤΝΕΡΓΟΝ

hoc est, ut videtur, Genius Alexandri magni, cuius in inscriptione γ. 9. mentio; quemque in præliis socium & adjutorem habuisse crediti Seleucus & Antiochus, qui primi post Alexandrum in Syriâ regnaverunt. vide notam ad γ. 9, 10. Porro in nummis ex Thesauro Haymiano part. 1. pagg. 21, 28, hoc adductis, recognoscet uni appictum Σ, alteri Υ, quæ tanquam initialia vocis ΣΤΝΕΡΓΟΣ, alias ΣΤΝΕΡΓΟΣ, non incommode in-terpretabere. Alii Seleuci nummi caput habent Apollinis, cum Victoria, appictisque li-teris Ε Τ, quæ nescio annon etiam ΕΤΝΟΤΝ, ut in inscriptione nostrâ, indigitent.



S T A T U A
Jovis Urii Bosporani.

Asigeo nos vocat ad fauces freti Bosporani non indignum obseruat monumentum. Chalcedona fortè invisentes, noble viatorum par, Whelerus nostras Sponiusque, in privatis prope Ecclesiam ædibus offendêre marmoream basin; & descriptum ex eâdem Epigramma in suos uterque codices retulere. Verùm cùm non levis sit apographorum, ut in ré obscurâ, discrepantia; oportebit uno ea intuitu inter se committere, quò melius alteri ab áltero aliquid veri lúminis accendatur.

1. *Wheleri, in Itinerario Anglicano, pag. 209.*

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2. *Sponii, inter Miscellanea Eruditæ Antiquitatis, p. 332.*

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Exscripti

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Exscripti, inquit Sponius; subnectitque istis non bene exscriptis
Græcis non bonam hanc Latinam Versionem.

*Ventum secundum quis ex puppi moderatorem vocabit
Jovem rudentibus velum expandens.
Est super Cyaneis vorticibus, cursus ubi Neptunus
Curvos fluctus volvit prope arenosa littora.
Tunc dixit (Neptunus) per Aegaeum nunc redditum paret,
Huic appositis libamentis supernè
Ideo propitio semper Deo Antipatri filius
Collocavit libens felicis symbolum navigationis.*

“ Hæc uterque vidit, exscriptit, & explicuit (inquit reverendus admodum Fleetwoodus in Inscriptionum antiquarum sylloge pag. 53.) sed non iisdem oculis eodemve animo & sensu. “ Quis clarius, quis felicius non dico. Hoc certum est ex diversâ utriusque lectione Inscriptionem correctiorem fieri, sensum clariorem elici posse.

Conatus igitur hæc tam corrupta & luxata ad pristinam suam formam restituere deprehendi statim Antiquitatis non contenti monumentum, Statuam Jovis Urii Bosporani, quam sacratissimam M. Tullius memoravit, quamque veteres Geographi Dionysius Byzantius, Arrianus, & Menippus non intactam reliquerunt. Oratione utique in L. Pisonem hunc ad modum Cicero invehitur; “ A te Jovis Urii Fanum antiquissimum Barbarorum sanctissimumque diruptum est. Idemque in Verrina quæ est de signis, Verri sic aurem vellicat, “ ex æde Jovis religiosissimum ⁽ⁱ⁾ simulacrum Jovis Imperatoris, quem Græci Urion nominant, pulcherrimè factum nonne abstulisti? — — — “ Jovem autem Imperatorem quanto honore in suo templo fuisse arbitramini? Hinc colligere potestis, si recordari volueritis quantâ religione fuerit eadem specie atque formâ signum illud quod ex Macedoniâ captum in Capitolio posuerat Flamininus. Etenim tria ferebantur in orbe terrarum signa Jovis Imperatoris, uno in genere pulcherrimè facta: Unum illud Macedonicum quod in Capitolio videmus; alterum in Ponti ore & angustiis; tertium quod Syracusis ante Verrem prætorem fuit. Illud Flamininus ita ex æde suâ sustulit, ut in Capitolio, hoc est, in terrestri domicilio Jovis poneret. Quod autem est ad introitum Ponti, id cùm tam ⁸ multa

“ multa ex illo mari bella emerserint, tam multa porrò in Pon-
“ tum inventa sint, usque ad hunc diem integrum inviolatum-
“ que servatur.

Sat clarè igitur & fanum & cultum Jovis Urii Romana eloquentia tradidit. Fani locum in Asiano litore signant Peutingerianæ tabulæ. ⁽¹⁾ Arrianus verò in Ponti Euxini periplo ejusdem distractiam, hinc a Byzantio centum & viginti stadiis, illinc à Cyaneis petris quadraginta, quæ angustissimæ sunt Ponti, quæ vocantur, fauces, accurate admodum metitur. Hic post multos annos certa statuæ pernicies à pretio metalli suit: quo direpto, Chalcedona, in propinquo litore, translata est marmorea inscripta basis. At Dionysius Byzantius, (quem auctorem solus sibi habuit Petrus Gyllius) integri, suumque jam fanum exornantis, signi statum, atque habitum, sic describit. “ *In Fano (Jovis Urii) statua ærea est antiquæ artis, etatem puerilem præ se ferens, tendens manus . . . Quidam aut audaciæ signum esse navigantium, deterrens temeritatem navigationis periculis plenam, atque ostendens redeuntium salutis felicitatem & pietatem.* Vide Gyllium de Bosphoro Thracio, lib. 3. cap. 5.

His ordine prænotatis, tempus nunc proponi Epigramma, veræ, ut spero, lectioni, sensuque, & acumini restitutum; maximè, si tu calculum adjeceris, amice lector.

In statua Jovis Urii epigramma.

⁽¹⁾ Οὐέτον ἐκ πεύμων τὶς ὁδηγῆσθαι καλέτω

⁽²⁾ Ζῆνα, καλὰ προλόνων ἴσιον ἐκπελάσας.

⁽³⁾ Εἰτ' ἐπὶ Κυανέας δίνας δέρμος, ἔνθα Ποσείδων
Κάμπυλον εἰλίσει κῦμα καθὴ ψαμάθοις.

⁽⁴⁾ Εῖτα κατ' Αἰγαίαν πόνις πλάκα νόσον ἐρέυνων
Νείσθω, τῷδε βαλὼν ψαύσα⁽¹⁾ καθὴ ξοάνω
Ωδὲ⁽²⁾ τὸν διάντηλον αἱ θεὸν, Αὐλιπάτερ παῖς,
Στῆσε Φίλων, ⁽³⁾ αἰγαθῆς σύμβολον ἐνπλοῖς.

Idem epigramma latinè redditum.

Nauta, Jovem celsâ ductorem è puppe vocato
 Urion, extenso vela rudente parans.
 Sic bene Cyaneo curret tibi vortice pinus,
 Quà rotat incurvas Ennosigæus aquas.
 Tum, reditum Aëgæi meditans super æquora ponti,
 Fac redi, at huic statuæ solvere liba memor:
 Quâ posuit nautis dextrum & latibile numen
 Ritè Philo, salvos ire redire jubens.

Ad statuam Jovis Urii Bosporani notæ.

(1) *S*imulacrum Jovis Imperatoris, quem Græci Urion nominant. *Διος Οὐρος.* i. e. immisus à Jove ventus secundus, toties ab Homero decantatus, & cultum & titulum fecit Jovi Uri, vela facientibus propitio. Eum igitur, ut inferius notabitur, Latini à formâ Puerum, ab effectu Serenum, coluere. Ast unde idem Latinis Imperator, non est adeò facile investigatu. 'Οδρυνθεα enim, quod Jovi Uri in epigrammate tribuitur, Imperatorem vix crediderim sonare. Fuere equidem, quibus mendum hoc in loco subodorantibus, Cicero Imbricatoris scripsisse visus: quo sensu ab Homero ἵπερος ἔγος, ab Ennio spiritus austri imbricator celebratur. At mihi, fateor, altera illa suspicio altè defixa insidet: Oratorem, in hâc Verrinâ, decurtatâ voce exarasse Jovis IMP. quod in Imperatoris conversum à librariis, cùm Impuberis efferendum esset. Certè Jupiter Impuber cum notis ejusdem titulis apprimè congruit, Jove nempe Axure, Jove nondum barbato, Jove puro, eodemque Vejove, in Capitolio inter arcem & ædem Capitolinam prope Asylum posito; de quo Ovidius in Fastorum 3.

Juppiter est juvenis, juveniles affice vultus.

Idemque non minus congruit cum his ipsis Jovis Urii simulacris, quorum Mædonicum in Capitolio eâdem ac Bosporanum & specie & formâ fuit; Bosporanum verò, à Dionysio Byzantio, puerilem etatem præ se ferens perhibetur. Erat quidem Romæ, idque in Capitolio, hoc est in ipsâ æde Capitolinâ, signum Jovis Imperatoris Prænestine devehatum, à P. Victore inter Capitolina monumenta recensitum. Ejusque in Livio historia est, lib. 6. cap. 29. T. Quintius signum Prænestine devehatum Jovis Imperatoris in Capitolium tulit. Dedicatumque est inter cellam Jovis ac Minervæ, tabulaque sub eo fixa, monumentum rerum gestarum. Sed aliud erat signum T. Quintii Cincinnati Prænestinum, anni U. C. 375. à Livio, aliud T. Quinti Flaminini Macedonicum, anni U. C. 558, à Cicerone memoratum. Quid ergo? exorta vides quatuor hujus generis signa, Prænestinum, Macedonicum, Bosporanum, Syracusanum; è quibus primum illud Prænestinum, inter Jovem & Minervam in ipsâ æde Capitolinâ positum, & inscriptum, Ciceroni non potuit non esse notissimum. At ille: *Tria se-rebantur in orbe terrarum signa Jovis IMP. uno in genere pulcherrimè satla: Macedonicum, inquit, quod in Capitolio videmus, Bosporanum, & Syracusanum.* Omnino igitur, in hâc

hac Verrinā, de signis Jovis Imperatoris non egit Cicero, sed aut utrobius, compendio vocum, IMP. solummodo exaravit; aut integris fortasse vocibus Impuberis scripsit & Impuberem; Jovem Puerum in Capitolio prope Asylum, designans: quia tamen (occasione Jovis Imperatoris Liviani in eodem Capitolio positi) in Imperatoris & Imperatorem, errore nimis facili, transierunt. Sed hujus rei penes criticos, humanarum artium magistros, supremum judicium esto.

(*) Arrianus in Ponti Euxini periplo, pag. 12. edit Oxon. Τὸν δὲ Διός τὴν Οὐέλιαν διηγεῖται οὐδὲν Βυζαντίον σάδιστε εἴκοσι καὶ ἕκακον, καὶ τοῦ σενάτου ταῦτα τὸ σώμα τῆς Πόλεως καλεύμενον. Idem pag. 25. Ἐκ δὲ Κυανίου θαλάσσης τὸν Διός τὴν Οὐέλιαν, οὐαὶ τοῖς τὸ σώμα τῆς Πόλεως, σάδιστοι τεσσαράκοντα. i. e. Fanum Jovis Urii distat à Byzantio stadia centum & viginti, atque hic est angustissimum quod vocatur, Ponti os.— à Cyaneis verò petris ad sanctum Jovis Urii, ubi os est Ponit, stadia sunt quadraginta.

(**) Οὐρανοὶ Ζῆνα—πῶν ἐνάντιον διεῖ θεού—σιγαθῆς σύμβολον ινπλοτης. i. e. Jovem Urium, fortunatum semper Deum—bona symbolum navigationis: Quā Urium, Latinis aliquando PUEBUM, aliquando SERENUM nominatum; quā fortunatum, & prosperas præstantem navigationes, Fortuna tum PRIMIGENIAE, tum REOUCI sociatum. Horum prius in duabus inscriptionibus Praenestinis legitur, apud Grut. LXXVI. 6. 7. FORTUNAE. PRIMIGENIAE. IOVI. PUERO. iterumque FORTUNAE. IOVIS PUERI. PRIMIGENIAE. Posterius in totidem Romanis LXXVII. 6. FORTUNAE. REDUCI. ET IOVI. SERENO. iterumque, MIX. 9.

IOVI. SERENO
ET
FORTVNAE. REDVCI
IMP. L. SEPTIMI. SEVERI
PII. PERTINACIS. AVG. ARAB
ADIAB. P. P.
STATVAM. HANC
VOTO. SVSCEPTO
L. FORTVNATVS. QVINT
SOD. HADRIANAL
D. S. I. S. L. M.

Quid pleniūs, quid melius exprimere potuit Græcorum Jovem Urium, fortunatum Deum, puerilem faciem, teste Dionysio, præ se serentem; ostendentem, protensis manibus, redeuntium post navigationem felicitatem; quām Jovis Pueri cum Fortunā Primigeniā, Jovis Sereni cum Fortunā Reduce, apud Latinos sociatio? Ab eodem quid magis alienum, quām Imperator?

(*) Eīt δὴ Κυανίας δίνας δρόμος—Εἴτα καὶ τὸν Αἰγαίον πόντον πλάνα—nautis Jovem Urium invocantibus prosperam utrinque navigationem promittit auctor epigrammatis, seu cursus eis Cyaneas versus & Euxinum pontum, sive retrò versus Hellestponium & Ægæum fuerit. Cui monito obsecutus est Menippus, peripli duorum pontorum auctor, teste, qui ejus geographiam defloravit, Marciano Heracleotā. edit. Oxon. pag. 68. περιέπλοσεν περιότερον μὲν τὸν Πόντον, μετ' ίκετον δὲ τὸν Θράκιον Βόσπορον καὶ τὸν Προπονίδα, ὅμως τῷ Ἑλλησπόντῳ, δοῦτο τὸν ιερὸν καλυμμένον Διός Οὐρανὸν τὸ περίστολον τὴν αρχὴν ἐπέλεγων ἡπέριον ποιούμενος. i. e. circumnavigavit (Menippus) primo quidem Pontum Euxinum, deinde verò Proponitidem undā cum Hellestponio, à fano Jovis Urii utriusque continenis peripli capiens initium. Sed & ipsum Menippum audi pag. 69. κατὰ τὸν Θράκιον Βόσπορον καὶ τὸ σώμα τῆς Εὐξείας πόντου ἐπεξιότε τῆς Ασίας μέρους κατὰς χωρίον Ιερὸν καλεύμενον, ἐν ψεύτῃ ισι Διός Οὐρανῷ προσαγορευόμενος. Τέτο δὲ τὸ χωρίον αὐθέντεον ἐσι τὸν οὐρανὸν πλεύνων. i. e. Juxta Thracium Bosporum & os Euxini Ponti, dextrâ Asiae parte, situm est castellum, quod 'Ιερὸν appellatur.

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appellatur: in quo templum est Jovis Urii nominatum. Hoc autem castellum initium est unde in Pontum solvunt navigantes. Notabile est hunc ipsum locum, castello hodie Turcico in angustiis Bospori obsessum, & nunc & olim, uno eodemque tempore, hoc est Fani nomine vocatum; ultra bis mille & ducentos, ut ex Herodoto probatur, annos. lib. 4. cap. 84, 85.

(1) Παρὰ ξοάνω, ὅπε τὸν διάσημον αὖτε βέβαιον πόλιτην πάντας σὺντο φίλων. En verba quæ mirè ludificarunt Sponium, sed in quibus bene lectis & intellectis, & opus habemus, & opificem, & in his ætatem monumenti: opus quidem, statuam antiquæ artis, quâ representatus est Jupiter Urius, dexter semper & navigantibus fortunatus deus: opificemvero Philonem, Antipatri F. statuarium, à Plinio (lib. 34. c. 8.) mentionem inter præstantes meritum: eundemque posito Hephaestione, Alexandri M. amico, celebratum. Unde Tarianus in oratione adversus Græcos cap. 55. τὴν Ἡφασίωνος ἐκ αἰδεῖσθε πογνέαν, καὶ εἰ πάντα φίλων ἀντί τιθέντων εἰποτε; i. e. Impudici illius Hephaestionis non vos pudet, ut cunque eum Philo affabre admodum posuerit?

Eadem igitur inscriptionis, quæ & Alexandri M. & Macedonum jam per Asiam volitantium, tetas. Et signi sancti, si Ciceronem audias & Dionysium, minor esse non potuit: dum fani ipsius originem ad Phryxum, ad Argonautas, & fabulosa usque tempora variis apud Gyllium auctores retulerint. Sed ab initio duodecim deorum sicut Postea titulus cultusque ad Jovem Urium restrictus, è Macedoniâ, ut videtur, huc delatus.



Monu-

Monumentum Milesum,

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Adulitanum.



Conjuncti nunc legantur hostes olim infensissimi, qui, circa annum ante Christum 246, eodem ferè tempore capessivere regnum; Syriae nempe, Asiaque eis & citra Taurum, Seleucus Callinicus, Ægypti verò & Arabiæ, Ptolemæus Euergetes. Hos ipsos, etiam & à sancto Dei spiritu, in propheticâ Danielis visione, conjungi placuit; alterum ut regem Aquilonis, ut regem Austri alterum adumbratum; vicinam utramque Judæis, & molestam admodum futuram, hinc & hinc, potentiam. A Daniele verò (quod omnino nolim inobservatum) Seleucus, Aquilonis Rex, ut valis aureis & argenteis in sacorum usum ditissimus, Austri rex Ptolemæus, ut eorundem spoliator & reportator, debellato Aquilonis regno, est prædictus. Id quod citatum dabo & è vulgatâ, & è LXX-virali etiam versione: quoniam recens factam in Ægypto facile eam crediderim notam fuisse Ptolemæo, saltem ei ostensam fuisse, in Templo Hierosolymitano, cum sacrum ibi faceret ob res prosperè in Syriâ contra Seleucum gestas. *Vid. Joseph. contra Ap. I. 2. c. 5.*

Visio Danielis ultima cap. XI. anno ante Christum 534.

Gr. LXX.

Vulgat. Lat.

<p>7... ἦσαν προστλεὺ δύναμιν, καὶ εἰσελθοῦσαι εἰς τὰ ὑποσηγματά τῆς βασιλέως τῆς Βορρᾶ, καὶ ποιήσει ἐν αὐλοῖς, καὶ κατηχύσει.</p>	<p>7... Veniet [Rex Austri] cum exercitu, & ingredietur provinciam Regis Aquilonis, & abutetur eis, & obtinebit.</p>
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8. Καὶ γε τὸς θεῶν αὐτῶν με-
τὰ τῶν χωνδρῶν αὐτῶν, πᾶν σκεῦος sculptilia, vasa quoque pretiosa
Πτολεμαῖον αὐτῶν, αἴρυξίς καὶ argenti & auri captiva ducet in
χεισίς, μετ' αἰχμαλωσίας ὅπει Αἴγυπτον. Ipse prævalebit ad-
eis "Αἰγυπτον, καὶ αὐτὸς σῆμαί versus Regem Aquilonis.
καὶ βασιλέα τῆς Βόρρας.

9. Καὶ ἐπελθόνται εἰς τὴν 9. Et intrabit in regnum Rex
βασιλείαν τῆς βασιλέως τῆς Νότης, Austri, & revertetur ad terram
καὶ αναστήψει εἰς τὴν γῆν αὐτῆς. suam.

Ecce rem videmus tot ante annis prænuntiatam, quâcum optimè conspirant nobilissima duo monumenta: unum, si Judæam respicias, in aquilonari mundi plagâ, alterum in australi positum; *Milesum* dico, & *Adulitam*. Illud enim ad Seleucum Callinicum spectans, etiam nunc prope Miletum, in Ionia confiniis, extat: Hoc verò, ad Ptolemaeum pertinens Euergeten, apud Adulen, Sinū Arabici emporium, intra Æthiopiac olim fines est repertum.

Monumentum Milesum Seleuci Callinici.

LOcus est, è regione Sami Insulae, Joran nunc Turcis dictus, in quo multæ humi confractæ jacent, multæ rectæ stant columnæ, spectabiles adhuc reliquæ prægrandis istius Templi, Oraculique, quod primò Branchidæ Apollinis, postea Didymæi fuit. Conditum illud à Milesiis, mediâ inter urbem & Posideum promontorium viâ, multis, (ut inquit Strabo) antiquarum artium donariis, à regibus & principibus ditatum fuit. Quos * inter Seleucus Callinicus, fraterque ejus Antiochus Hierax, jam tum Rex Asiae appellatus, amplissimam hanc, quæ sequitur, Dedicationem fecere: piâ scilicet in Apollinem & Servatores Deos gratitudine, ob Seleucum insperatò salvum & incolumem, & ob pacem eodem tempore cum Ptolemæo Euergete in decem annos factam. Hæc relata à Justino, & Plutarcho, pertinent ad annum ante Christum 243, æræ Seleucidarum septuagesimum, Regis Seleuci quartum. Ipsius verò ad Milesios epistola, & indictum Apollini sacrificium, va-
forum quoque, unguentorum, & aromatum recensio; cum ad-

* Vid. Not. i.

scripto singulorum pondere, incisa sunt marimoreo quadrato lapidi,
quem subter tuguriolum, à boreali Templi latere, bis vidit, &
exscripsit illustrissimus Cos. Sherardus: Annis 1709, & 1716.

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Idem Græcè & Latinè.

Ἐπὶ Στεφανοφόρῳ Ποσειδίππῳ, Sub Stephanophoro Posidippo,
 ταμιευόντων τῶν ιερῶν χειριά- Praefectisque Sacri Ærarii Tí-
 των Τιμέα τῷ Φυρσῶνος, Ἀριστα- mea F. Phyrsonis, Aristagora F.
 γόρᾳ τῷ Ναήμονος, Κλεομήδῃ Naēmonis, Cleomedes F. Creisonis,
 τῷ Κρέστονος, Φιλίππῳ τῷ Σω- Philippo F. Sofistrati, Alexandro
 σισρέτῳ, Ἀλεξάνδρῳ τῷ Λοχήγῳ, F. Lochegi, Polyxeno F. Babonis,
 Πολυξένῳ τῷ Βαεῶνος, τάδε ἀνέ- ⁽¹⁾ Reges Selencus & Antiochus
 θηκαν ⁽¹⁾ Βασιλεῖς Σέλενκος καὶ hæc quæ in Epistolâ sunt scripta
 Ἀντίοχος τὰ ἐν τῇ ἐπιβολῇ γε dedicavere.
 γεγραμμένα.

Βασι-

Βασιλεὺς Σέλευκος Μιλησίων τῇ Βελῃ ἐπὶ τῷ Δήμῳ χαιρεῖν. Ἀφεσάλκαμεν εἰς τὸ Ιερὸν τῷ Απόλλωνος τῷ ἐν Διδύμοις τὸν τε λυχνίαν τὸν μεγάλην, καὶ ποτῆσιν χειρῶντα ἐξενέργα, εἰς ἀνάθετιν Θεοῖς τοῖς Σωτῆσι, κομιζόντα⁽²⁾ Πολιάνθην, ἐπιγεαφάς ἔχοντα. Τμῆς ἐν ὅταν παρεγινόται λαβόντες αὐτὰ ἀγαθὴ τυχὴ ἀπόδοτε εἰς τὸ Ιερὸν, ἵνα ἔχοτες απένδειν καὶ⁽³⁾ χειρίσαι, ὑγιαινόντων⁽¹⁾ ἡμῶν, καὶ⁽³⁾ θύτυχένιων, καὶ τῆς πόλεως⁽³⁾ διαμενέστης, οἷς ἐγὼ βόλοιμαι καὶ ὑμεῖς.⁽²⁾ Χειρέας ἐνεταλμένη τῇδε Πολιάνθη, καὶ τὴν ἀνάθετιν ποιέμενοι τῶν ἀφεσαλμένων συντελέστατε τὸν θυσίαν, ἢν συντελάχαμεν ἀλοῖς. Συνεπιμελθῆτε ἐν ἵνα γένηται κατὰ τέρπον. Τῶν δὲ ἀφεσαλμένων χειρωμάτων καὶ ἀργυρωμάτων εἰς τὸ Ιερὸν ιωγένειαφα ὑμῖν τὸν γεαφὸν, ἵνα εἴδης καὶ τὰ γένη καὶ τὸν σαθμὸν ἔκάστε. Ἐρρώθε.

Rex Seleucus Milesiorum Concilio & Populo Salutem. Missus ad Templum Apollinis Didymeti tum grande illud Candabrum, tum Pocula aurea & argentea, in dedicationem Diis Servatoribus, deferentia⁽²⁾ Poliantham, Inscriptiones habentia. Vos igitur, cum per venerint, eadem bonâ cum fortunâ recipientes, recondite in Templo, ut habeatis & libare, &⁽²⁾ perungyi, occasione⁽³⁾ salutis, &⁽³⁾ prosperitatis nostræ, &⁽³⁾ Civitatis in suo statu permanentis, prout ego & vos optamus. ⁽²⁾ Perungimini hâc quam mandavimus Polianthâ, missorumque facientes dedicationem, peragite sacrificium quod cum iis unâ ordinavimus. Communi igitur curâ id agite ut hæc rite fiant. Vasorum verò Auri & Argenti, quæ missa sunt ad Templum, scriptum vobis Catalogum subjunxi, ut noscatis tum genera, tum pondus singulorum. Valete.

Γερυφὴ χειρωμάτων τῶν ἀφεσαλμένων.

Aureorum quæ missa sunt Catalogus.

1. Φιάλη⁽⁴⁾ Καρυώτη Ἀγαθῆς Τυχῆς μία. Όλη ἀρχαὶ διακόσιαι τεσσεράκοντα ἐπλά.

1. Pziala⁽⁴⁾ Caryota Bonæ Fortunæ una. Pondus drachmæ ducentæ quadraginta septem.

2. Ἀλλη Καρυώτη Θέμιδος

2. Alia Caryota Tbemidis una.

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μία. Όλη δεκαχιλιά ἑκατον ἐνενήκοντα.

Pondus drachmæ centum nonaginta.

3. "Αλλη Καρυώπη Ληθὸς μία.
Όλη δεκαχιλιά ἑκατον ἐνενήκοντα
όκτω, τρεῖς ὅβολοι.

3. Alia Caryota Latona una.
Pondus drachmæ centum nonaginta octo, tres oboli.

4. "Αλλη Καρυώπη Εκάτης μία.
Όλη δεκαχιλιά ἑκατον δεκατέσσις.

4. Alia Caryota Hecates una.
Pondus drachmæ centum δεκατέσσις tredecim.

5. Παλιμπότων^(*) Τεγέλα-
φων πεζούμων, ἐπιγεγεαμένων α-
πολωνος, ζεῦγος ἐν. Όλη
δεκαχιλιά τελαχόσιαι δεκάοκτω,
τρεῖς ὅβολοι.

5. Par unum gemini bustūs
poculorum, ^(*) Tragelaphorum ef-
figie, inscriptorum APOLLINIS.
Pondus drachmæ trecentæ octode-
cim, tres oboli.

6. "Άλλο παλίμποτρον ἐλάφυ
πεζούμη, ἐπιγεγεαμένου ΑΡΤΕΜΙΔΟΣ,
ἐν. Όλη δεκαχιλιά ἑκατον εξήκοντα
μία.

6. Alud gemini bustūs po-
enium, cervi effigie, unum, in-
scriptum DIANAЕ. Pondus drach-
mæ centum sexaginta una.

7. Κέρες ἐπιγεγεαμένου ΔΙ
ΣΩΤΗΡΙ ἐν. Όλη δεκαχιλιά^{την}
ἑβδομήκοντα τρεῖς, τρεῖς ὅ-
βολοι.

7. Cornu unum, inscriptum
IOVI SERVATORI. Pondus drach-
mæ centum septuaginta tres, δε
tres oboli.

8. Οινοχόα Θεῶν Σωτήρων
μία. Όλη δεκαχιλιά τελαχόσιαι
ογδόνικοντα ἐπλά.

8. Trulla Deorum Servatorum
una. Pondus drachmæ trecentæ
octoginta septem.

9. Φυλής Βαρβαρικὸς λιθό-
κολλος, ἐπιγεγεαμένος ΣΩΤΕΙΡΑΣ,
εἰς, ^(*) ἔχων αποπεπλωκότα κάρυα
ἐπλά. Όλη δεκαχιλιά τελαχό-
σιαι ἑβδομήκοντα δύο.

9. Crater unus refrigeratorius,
Barbaricus, gemmatus, inscrip-
tus SERVATRICIS, carya^(*) habens
decidua septem. Pondus drach-
mæ trecentæ septuaginta duo.

10. Μαζονίου χρυσόν. Όλη
δεκαχιλιά χίναι ογδόνικοντα
όκτω.

10. Mazonomum aureum.
Pondus drachmæ mille octoginta
octo.

'Eis^(*) τὸ πᾶν Χρυσωμάτων
δεκαχιλιά τελείναι διακόσιαι

Summâ^(*) totali Vasorum au-
ri drachmæ ter mille, ducentæ

- τεωρερίκονια ὄχι, ὅσολοι τρεῖς. quadraginta octo, tres oboli.
1. Σκύφος αἴρυξες τορθοὶς
ζωῶις, ἔχων χονίδα, ἕι. Όλην
δέαχμαὶ τριακόσιαι ὥγδονίκονια. 1. *Scyphus unus argentens,*
cælatus, figuris animalium distinctus, junci odorati unguentum habens. Pondus drachmæ trecentæ octoginta.
2. Ψυκήν αἴρυξες μέγας δί-
ωλος. Όλην δέαχμαὶ ἐναντί-
και. 2. *Crater refrigeratorius,
prægrandis argentens, ansas habens duas. Pondus drachmæ novi-
es millenæ.*
1. Λιθανάτη τάλαντα δέκα.
2. Σμύρνης τάλαντον ἔν.
3. Κασίας μνᾶ δύο.
4. Κινναμώμης μνᾶ δύο.
5. Κόστης μνᾶ δύο. 1. *Thuris talenta decem.*
2. *Myrræ talentum unum.*
3. *Casiæ libræ duæ.*
4. *Cinnamoni libræ duæ.*
5. *Costi libræ duæ.*

Λυχνία χαλκῆ μεγάλη. *Candelabrum grande æreum.*

Ἐπροσέταξεν δὲ καὶ θυσίαν τῷ Simul etiam Deo [Apollini] sa-
Θεῷ Ἱερεῖα χίλια καὶ Bw. δώ-
δεκα. crificium ordinavit, Viætmas mil-
le, & Aras duodecim.

Ad Monumentum Milesium Notæ.

(1) *Selucus Callinicus Fraterque ejus Antiochus Hierax.* Hi sunt qui in monumen-
to βασιλέως οὐ Αἰλίοχος nominantur. De iis verò sic Iustinus lib. 27.
cap. 2. Seleucus à Ptolemaeo vietus Antiochiam consigit. Inde ad Antiochum fra-
trem literas facit, quibus auxilium ejus implorat, oblatâ ei Asia intra fines Tauri montis.
Antiochus autem cum esset annos xiv natus, supra cætatem regni avidus occasionem non tam
pia animo quam offerebatur arripuit; unde Hierax est cognominatus. Interea Ptolemaeus
Euergetes cum Antiochum in auxilium Seluco venire cognovisset, ne cum duobus uno tempore
dimicaret, in annos decem cum Seleuco pacem facit. Sed pax ab hoste data interpellatur
à fratre. Et tamen hac ipsâ occasione Antiochus fraterni in Seleucum animi nobile exem-
plum edidit; eo nomine à Plutarcho non semel in bonorum Fratrum numerum relatus:
tractatu nempe de fraternali amore, p. m. 489. & in Apophthegmatis, pag. 184. Αἰλίοχος δὲ
ιππικλήτης ἱέρεξ ἵπολιτης πιεὶ βασιλέων πρὸς τὸν αἰδελφὸν Σέλευκον, ιπὲ δὲ οὐ Σέλευκος ιππικλήτης
ἔπος Γαλατῶν εὐδαίμονες φανερὸς οὐν, αἷλλ' εἰδόκει καλακεκόφθαλμος, θεῖς τὴν πορφύραν οὐ Αἰλίοχος φαίνεται
ιμάτιον ἀνέλαβε μέτ' ὀλίγοις δὲ πιθόμετρος τὸν αἰδελφὸν σωζόσθαι, εὐαγγίλια τοῖς Θεοῖς ἴψει, καὶ
τὰς πόλεις τὰς ὑφ' ἑαυτὸν σεφανηφορεῖται ιππίσθεν. i. e. Antiochus cognomento Hierax bellum de
regno adversus fratrem Seleucum gerebat. Cum verò Seleucus à Gallis vietus nunquam ap-
pareret, at in pugnâ occisus putaretur, deponens purpuram Antiochus pullam vestem induit.
Paulo post auditio fratrem incolorem vivere, evangelia Diis sacrificavit, & civitatibus
sibi

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sibi subditis Stephanophorium indixit. Habes, lector, occasionem & indicii solennis sacrificii, & inscripti lapidis, & suscepti in eodem volvendo hujus studii & laboris.

(2) Κομιζόντα Πολιάνθην ——ίνα ἔχει ——χειρέως. Iterumque κελεύειντον τοῦδε Πολιάνθη, i. e. Pocula Poliantham deferentia, ut baleatis perungi. Iterumque Perungimini hac quam mindavimus Polianthā. Vox Poliantha unguentum hic significat Polianthinum, ut Οenantha sepius Οenanthinum, & Schœnus hīc inferius Schœnanthinum. Huic verò Polianthino hac occasione oblato mysterium & superstitione non levis inerat. Etenim id tradit Plinius lib. 21. cap. 7. apud Græcos Polium herbam, odorato flore, solis canis, interponi vestibus gratissimum; inclytam Musæi & Hesiodi laudibus, ad omnia utilem prædicantum, superque cetera ad famam & dignitates. Iterumque cap. 20. Polio Musæus & Hesiodus perungi jubent, dignationis gratiā, gloriaque avidos polium trahere, colere. —— Lectione igitur certissimā, reposui literis minusculis ΧΡΙΣΘΑΙ, pro ΧΡΑΣΘΑΙ, quod in Apographo clarè quidem sed mendosè legitur. Nimirum ad tam solennis Stephanophorii, sacrificii, atque epuli lautitiam id unicè pertinebat, ut libantes & epulantes omnes olei & unguenti copiā diffuerent.

(3) Τριαντάντων ἡρώων, i. e. occasione salutis nostræ: post acceptam scilicet ab Antiocho & Gallis cladem. καὶ ινχθίλων, i. e. prosperitatis, ob pacem cum tetrorem hoste Ptolemæo Euergete paetam. καὶ τόλεως διαμενόντων, i. e. & civitatis in statu pristino manentis. Nuper enim Dominum mutaverat, accepto Ptolemæi jugo, qui Ioniam, & Cariam, & Hellespontum, & vicinas ubique Provincias longè latèque spoliaverat; hoc verò anno, secundum prophetiam & inscriptionem sequentem, reversus est in terram suam.

(4) Φιάλη καρυάτη Phiala Caryota i. e. Poculum aureum, intercurrente palmæ fructu cum spathis suis, seu palmitibus, cælatum: unde lucem accipit Martialis istud Epigramma (l. 13. 27.) Spatalion Caryotarum inscriptum. Aurea porrigitur Jani Caryota Calendis.

(5) Παλιμπότων Τραγελάφων προσομῶν, Poculorum gemini baustus, Tragelaphorum effigie. Παλιμπότων affectata erat poculi species, ut etiam ἀμφίβολον, διπλόνεον, αμφικύπελλον, aliaque ita callido secretoque artificio elaborata, ut semel epota compotatorem deciperent, iterum potari postulantia. Huic poculorum pari data est Tragelaphi, i. e. Hirco-cervi effigies, animalis ad proverbium usque rari. Vidimus tamen ex Asia huc allatum: alteriusque à se visti imaginem Petrus Bellonius inter rarissimè observata retulit; libro Observationum l. cap. 54.

Cætera in hoc lapide memorata pocula (ne nimii simus in singulis enarrandis) habes. Lector, exhausta à Sophistis, in elegantissimo apud Athenæum convivio, lib. xi. Obtingebit autem, in his reddendis, optima Macrobi regula, Virgilii auctoritate tradita. Nomina poculorum Vergilius plerumque Græca ponit; ut Carchesia, ut Cymbia, ut Cantharos, ut Scyphos. Ea autem cuius figure sint, quisve eorum fecerit mentionem, nemo querit; contenti seire cujuscemodi esse pocula. Macrob. Saturn. l. 5. c. 21.

(6) Ἐχων ἀποπεπλήσσα κάρυα ιπλα, i. e. Carya babeus decidua septem. Aut subest hīc aliquid mysterii, aut nuces intelligit aut caryotidas, ab artifice tam inīrā arte repræsentatas; ut jam nunc à ramusculo videare delapsas cernere, recensque ab involucris suis, seu calycibus exclusas.

(7) Εις τὸ πᾶν. Quod Latinè summa totali dixeris, sed ad verbum Anglicè, in all. Totum verò partibus æquandum demonstrat pro imperfecto isto [ΕΞΞ] ΕΠΙΤΑ, i. e. Septem debere legi. Singula enim sic collecta pondera summam reddunt drachmarum 3248, cum obolis insuper tribus. Notum verò sex obolos unam confiscere drachinam; drachmamque auream, docentibus id Suidā & Hesychio, decuplam fuisse argenteæ; adeoque eam valuisse monetae hodiernæ Anglicaæ o l. 6 s. 5 d. i. e. sex solidos, quinque denarios, cum dimidio. Exsurgit igitur (præter unguenta & aromata) donariorum Auri nostrâ monetâ valor; libræ sterlingæ 1048. solidi 19. denarii 10. Argenti; lib. st. 302. sol. 18. den. 6. cum dimidio.

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Monumentum Adulitanum Ptolemæi Euergetis.

POST pacem in decem annos cum Seleuco paetam, eamque ulterius in alios decem propagatam, nihil egisse visus Ptolemæus vix fando quidem audiit in Historiâ. Cùm ecce! Justino rerum potiente, plusquam septingentis post Regem Ptolemæum annis, bonus vir Cosmas Indicopleustes, cognomen à navigatione Indicâ adeptus, nova multa, eaque non incerta ex orbe Australi retulit. Inscriptum intelligo monumentum; in quo non illa tantum Imperii Seleuciani devastatio, sed & res ad Austrum gestæ contra Arabicas Æthiopicasque gentes, ad finem usque regni recitantur. Hoc Cosmas, ad demerendam, quâ egregiè potuit, posteritatem, Topographiæ Christianæ, scripto à se operi inseruit. Ejusque Topographiæ vetustum admodùm exemplar unciale, noni ut putatur seculi, Romæ extat in Bibliothecâ Vaticânâ; alterum uno seculo recentius Florentiæ in Laurentianâ. Monumentum igitur è MS. Vaticano A. D. 1632. Leo Allatius in folio separato edidit. Idem A. D. 1672 è folio expressum Allatiano, & Hannonis periplo conjunctum, Berkelius servare voluit; iterumque A. D. 1685. inter Miscellanea eruditæ Antiquitatis, Joannes Sponius. Interea Thevenotius nactus exemplar Bigotianum, è Laurentiano Codice descriptum, in suo illud Itinerario Gallicè scripto dederat. Omnes verò nuper superavit Rev. B. Montfauconii industrius & ingenuus labor, editâ ex eodem codice integrâ Topographiâ Christianâ A. D. 1706. Ubi per insigne, inquit, monumentum antiquitatis studiosis offert Cosmas, dum Inscriptiōnem nobis Ptolemæi, tertii Regis Ægyptii cognomine Euergetis, in extremis Æthiopiæ quâ Ægyptum respicit partibus, exscriptam à se literis confignavit. Illa verò omnes ejusdem Ptolemæi tam in Oriente (Aquilone rectius dixisset) quam in Æthiopie, & Arabie partibus, expeditiones minutatim euarrat; ut pulchrior, & ad Historiam opportunior, altera insquam compareat. Eadem de Monumento honorifica sensere If. Vossius, Spanhemius, & Vaillantius, aliquique Inscriptione usi Principes in Literaturâ Viri. Unius de eo dubitavit Clariss. Dulodorus Berolinaensis, Begerus is est, in Thes. Brand. Vol. iii. pag. 32. Huic autem mox in notis responsuri, Cosmam nunc ipsum audiamus, rem plenè quidem, sine arte, sine

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suco enarrantem; probum mercatorem qui non voluit, simpli-
cem & femidoctum monachum, qui hæc non potuit confingere.
Ut raceam nullum tuac fuisse Annium Viterbeensem, nullum tunc
Cyriacum Anconitanum, quibus figurae inscriptionum fuere cordi.

E Cosmœ Topographiâ Christianâ A. D. 545. scriptâ, pag. 140.

(¹) Ἐν τῇ Ἀδάλῃ (¹) τῇ κα-
λυμένῃ τῶν Ἀιθίοπων πόλει, ὡρα-
λίῳ τυγχανόσῃ ὡς ἀπὸ μηλίων
δύο, λιμένι ὑπαρχόσῃ (²). Αξιω-
μιτῶν ἔθνες, ἔνθα καὶ τὴν ἐμπο-
ρεῖαν ποιήμεθα, οἵον ἀπὸ Ἀλεξαν-
δρείας καὶ απὸ Ἑλὰ ἐμπορούμε-
νοι, δίφρεος ἐσὶ κείμενος ἐν τῇ αὔχῃ
τῆς πόλεως, κατὰ τὸ σύνκον μέρος,
προσέχων ὅππι τὴν ὁδὸν Ἀξιώμεως,
μαρμάρεος, ἐνὸς τῶν βασιλευ-
σάντων ἐνταῦθα Πτολεμαῖς, ἀπὸ
δοκιμασίας μαρμάρες λαβούς οἴδα-
εισ τὰ τερατέστατα λαβοῦ, καὶ
μέντοι Πρεσβυτήσιος ἔχων βάσιν
τελεόγωνον, καὶ τέσαρες κιόνια
λεπτὰ, μικρά, εἰς τὰς τέσαρες
γωνίας, καὶ ἔνα παχύτερον μέσον
γεγλυμένον χοινικὸν, καὶ ἐπάνω
τῶν κιονίων τὸ κάθισμα, καὶ τὸ
ἀνακλιτὸν τὸ ὄπισθεν τῷ θρόνῳ, καὶ
τὰ πατρικά πλάνη, δεξιὰ
καὶ αριστερά. "Ολος ὁ δίφρεος, καὶ
ἡ βάσις, καὶ τὰ πέντε κιόνια, καὶ
τὸ κάθισμα, καὶ τὸ ἀνακλιτὸν τὸ
ὄπισθεν τῷ θρόνῳ, καὶ τὰ πατρικά πλάνη,
ὅλα εἰς λίθος γε-
γλυμένος, ἔχων ὅλος ὡς πήχεις
δύο ἡμισου, ὡς ἀπειρῶν καλύμε-

(²) In maritimâ Æthiopum,
Adule (¹) vocatâ, urbe, quasi du-
obus à mari milliaribus, Axiomiti-
tarum portu, ubi mercaturam ab
Alexandriâ scilicet & ab Elâ
negotiantes exercemus, Sella est
lapidea, sita ad ingressum urbis
occidentalem, contigua viæ quâ
Axomen itur, ad Ptolemæorum
unum qui hic regnare spectans,
lapide candido pretioso scâla,
cujusmodi sunt mensæ candidæ,
non autem Proconnæsis. Basin ha-
bet quadratam, &, ad quatuor
angulos columellas quatuor,
graciles, exiguae, medium verò
unam crassiorem, sculptili con-
tortilique opere; supraque colu-
mellas sedem, & reclinatoriam
ponè thronum tabulam, &
latera ab utrinque dextra &
sinistra. Tota ipsa sella, & ba-
sis, & columellæ quinque, &
sedes, & reclinatoria ponè thro-
num tabula, & duo utrinque la-
tera; unus sunt lapis sculptilis,
habens totus cubitos circiter duos,
cum dimidio, eâ quâ apud nos
Cathedræ que vocantur formâ.

ναι καθίδραι. Ὅπιστεν δὲ αὐτῷ τῷ δίφρεῳ ἄλλο μάρμαρον ἀπὸ Βασανίτης λίθου ἐστὶν ισάμενον, ὡσεὶ πυχῶν τελῶν, τελεύγων, ὡσεὶ εἰκὼν, ἢς οὐ κεφαλὴ τὸ μέσον μὲν ὅξεν ἄνω, τὰ παές ἐκάτεροι δὲ μικρὸν χαμηλότεροι ὡσεὶ τύπον τῆς σοιχεῖς τῷ [Λ]αμβέδᾳ, ὅλον δὲ τὸ σῶμα τελεύγων. Νῦν δὲ αὐτὴ οὐ εἰκὼν ἐπεπλωκῆν ἐστὶν ὅπιστεν τῷ δίφρεῳ, τὸ κάτω πάνυ μέρος αὖτης κλαδεν καὶ ἀπολεθέν. Ὅλον δὲ τὸ μάρμαρον καὶ οἱ δίφρεοι πεπλωμένα γε αμμάτων Ἐλληνικῶν. Παρεῖσθι ἐν μοι ἐν τοῖς τόποις ἐκείνοις πρὶν τέτων τῶν ἐνικατῶν ἐκοστὶ πέντε, πλέον δὲ ἔλαττον, ὃν τῇ ἀρχῇ τῆς βασιλείας Ιερίν, τῷ Παρμαίῳ Βασιλέως, οἱ τηνικαῖτα βασιλεὺς τῶν (b) Ἀξιωμάτων (c) Ελευθερίᾳν, μέλλων ἐξιέναι εἰς πόλεμον πρέψει τὰς Ὁμηρίτας τὰς πέντε, γεάφει τῷ ἀρχοῦ Αδέλης, αναλαβεῖν τὰ ίσα τῶν γεγεαμένων ἐν τῷ δίφρῳ τῷ Πτολεμαϊκῷ, γὰρ τῇ εἰκόνι, καὶ ἀποστῖαι αὐτῷ. Καλέσας δέ με, οἱ τότε ἀρχῶν, ὀνόματι Ἀστέας, καὶ ἄλλον ἔνα πρεσβυτερὸν, ὀνόματι Μηνᾶν, ὃς γενόμενος μονάζων ἐν τῇ Ραιθῇ καὶ πρὶν πολλῷ τὸν βίον μετέλαβε, κελδύει ἡμῖν ἀπελθεῖν καὶ αναλαβεῖν τὰ γεγεαμένα. Λαβόντες δὲ δεδώκαμεν τῷ ἀρχοῦ, καταρχόντες ἐποτοῖς τὰ ίσα,

Verum ponē ipsam sellam adflat alius Basanitici generis lapis, circiter cubitorum trium, quadrangularis, ad modum tabulae pictoriae, cuius caput in medio quidem supernè est acutum, ast utrumque paulo infra latus formam efficit elementi Δαμεῖ, οὐ totum subitus corpus est quadrangulum. Jam verò ipsa tabula ponē sellam delapsa est: Parsque ejus infima confracta οὐ deperdita. Totus autem lapis οὐ ipsa sella plena sicut Græcis Literis. Cùm verò præsens iis in locis esset annis abhinc plus minus viginti quinque, sub initium principatū Iustini Romanorum Imperatoris, Elestan, tunc (b) Axiomitarum (c) Rex, expeditionem suscepimus contra Homeritas ultra sinum positos, datis ad præfectum Adules literis, jubet desumere exemplar Inscriptorum in sellâ Ptolemaicâ, tabulaque, οὐ desumptum ad se transmittere. Me igitur accersens is, qui tum præfectus fuit, nomine Abbas, οὐ mecum unā alium negotiatorem, Menam dictum, qui Rābi monachus factus non ita pridem obiit, ire nos jubet οὐ desumere inscriptionem. Desumptam igitur dedimus præfecto, penes nos item exemplar retinē καὶ

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ἀντὶ τοῦ θίσω ἐν τάῦῃ τῇ συγγεγραφῇ, συμβαλλόμενα ἡμῖν, πρέστην τῶν τόπων, καὶ τῶν ὀικεύοντων, καὶ τῶν διασημάτων εἴδησιν. "Εὔρουεν δὲ καὶ ἐν ὄπισθιοις τῷ δίφρεῳ γεγλυμένας, τὸν τε Ἡρακλέα, καὶ Ἐρμέα. Ἐσὶν ἐν ὁ δίφρες καὶ τῷ μάρμαρῳ ἄμα ὄτως, καὶ αὐτὸς ὁ Πτολεμαῖος.

nentes, quod & huic nunc scripto inseram, valde nobis utile reperatum, ad locorum, & incolarum, & distantiarum notitiam. Sculptricos etiam à postlicâ sellæ parte & Herculem invenimus & Mercurium. Et sella igitur, & lapis, & ipse Ptolemaeus, hunc ferè ad modum se habent.



Ἐισὶ δὲ καὶ τὰ γεγλυμένα ἐν In quadrigā verò tabellā bœc sunt
τῇ εικόνι ταῦτα. scripta.

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Καὶ ταῦτα μὲν ἐν τῇ εἰκόνι ἔγε-
γεγρ̄π̄ο, ἀ τὸ δύρφειν σῶσαι. Ὁ-
λίγα δὲ ἦσαν τὰ ἀπολόμενα· όδε
ἡ πολὺ ἦν τὸ κεκλασμένον μέρος
αὐτῆς. Εἶτα, ὡς ἐξ ἀκολούθias,
καὶ εἰς τὸν δίφερην ἔγεγρ̄π̄ο ὅτως.

*Hæc nos servavimus inscrip-
tione, à ἡ δύρφειν σῶσαι. Ὅ-
τα Tabulae reperta. Panca verò
erant quæ interiere: neque enim
magna ejus pars confracta fuit.
Alia deinde, sic continuata, ο
καὶ εἰς τὸν δίφερην ἔγεγρ̄π̄ο ὅτως.
ipsi quoque sellæ sunt inscripta.*

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Idem Græcè & Latinè.

Βασιλεὺς⁽¹⁾ μέγας Πτολεμαῖος, ύδεις βασιλέως Πτολεμαίου καὶ βα-
regis Ptolemei & regine Arsinoe τῶν
σιλίσης Ἀρσινόης θεῶν ἀδελφῶν, es deorum fratrum, regum Pto-
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τῶν βασιλέων Πτολεμαίς καὶ βασιλίσσης Βερενίκης θεῶν σωτήρων ἀπόγονος, τὰ μὲν ^(*) ἀπὸ πατερὸς Ἡρακλέος τῷ Διὸς, τὰ δὲ ^(*) ἀπὸ μῆτρὸς Διονύσου τῷ Διὸς, ^(*) παιδαρίων παρεῖ τῷ πατερὶ τὸν βασιλείαν Ἀιγύπτῳ, καὶ Λιβύῃ, καὶ Συείᾳ, καὶ Φοινίκῃ, καὶ Κύπρῳ, καὶ Λύκιᾳ, καὶ Καείᾳ, καὶ τῶν Κυκλαδῶν οἵσων, ἐξερεύθισεν ^(*) εἰς τὴν Ἀσίαν μὲν διωρέων πεζιῶν καὶ ἵππων καὶ ναυτικῆς σόλης, καὶ ἐλεφάντων ^(*) Τρεωθοδυτικῶν, καὶ Ἀιδιοπικῶν, ὃς ὁ τε πατὴς ἀντεῖ, καὶ αὐτὸς πεῶτος ἐκ τῶν χώρων τέτων ἐθῆσθαι, καὶ καλαγόντες εἰς Ἀιγυπτὸν καλεσκόδασαν πολεμικὴν χρείαν. Κυειδύσας ^(*) δὲ τε τὸν Ἐυφράτει τῶν χώρας πάσον, καὶ Κιλικίας, καὶ τῷ Ἑλλησπόντῳ, καὶ Θρακίας, καὶ τῶν διωρέων τῶν τοῦς χώρας ταύτας πασῶν, καὶ ἐλεφάντων Ἰνδικῶν, καὶ τὸς μονάρχεις τὰς τοῖς τόποις πάντας υπηκόες καλασίσας, διέβη ^(*) τὸν Ἐυφράτει πόλαμὸν, καὶ τὴν Μεσοποταμίαν, καὶ Βαλυλωνίαν, καὶ Σεστανήν, καὶ Περσίδα, καὶ Μηδίαν, καὶ τὴν λοιπὴν πᾶσαν ἑως Βαχτερανῆς ἵστοραν ποιησάμενος, καὶ ^(*) ἀναζητήσας ὅσα τῶν Περσῶν ιερὰ ἔχει Ἀιγύπτῳ ἐξήχθη, καὶ ἀνακομίσας μὲν τῆς ἀλληλογράφης τῆς διπλῆς τῶν τόπων εἰς Ἀιγυπτὸν, διωρέων

lemæi καὶ reginæ Berenices deorum servatorum nepos, genus paternum ducens ^(*) ab Hercule Jovis filio, maternum ^(*) verò à Baccho Jovis filio, cum ^(*) accepisset à patre regnum Aegypti, καὶ Libyæ, καὶ Syriae, καὶ Phœnices, καὶ Cypri, καὶ Lyciæ, καὶ Cariæ, καὶ Cycladum, insularum; expeditionem ^(*) fecit in Asiam cum vi pedestri equestrique, καὶ classe nauticâ, καὶ elephantiis ^(*) Troglodyticis Aethiopicasque, quos καὶ pater ejus, καὶ ipse, ex istis primi sedibus, venatu cernerunt, abductosque in Aegyptum ad belli usum habiles reddiderunt. Nactus ^(*) autem dominium totius intra Euphratēm regionis, καὶ Ciliciæ, καὶ Pamphyliæ, καὶ Ioniæ, καὶ Helleponi, καὶ Thraciæ, καὶ cunctarum in hinc regionibus copiarum, necnon καὶ elephantorum Indicorum, post omnes, qui in locis erant, monarchas subditos sibi factos, trajecit ^(*) Euphratēm fluvium: cùmque suæ fecisset ditionis Mesopotamiam, καὶ Babyloniam, καὶ Susianam, καὶ Persidem, καὶ Medianam, reliquasque omnes Battrianam usque regiones, καὶ ^(*) perquisivisset, quæcumque à Persis ex Aegypto aevitæ fuerant, res sacras, easque cum aliâ ex locis congestâ gaza, ἀπέσεις

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ἀπέσαλε⁽¹⁰⁾ διὰ τῶν ὁρυχθέντων
ποταμῶν. * * *

Μετ' ἀνδρείως τὰ μὲν⁽¹¹⁾ ἔγι-
σα τῇ βασιλείᾳ με ἔθνη εἰσνεθέας
κελθότας ἐπολέμησα καὶ ὑπέταξα
μάχαις τὰ ἔσχατα ερημάραξην.
(c) Γάζη⁽¹²⁾ ἔθνη ἐπολέμησα, ἐπειδα
Ἀγάπη καὶ Σιγύνη, καὶ νυκτας τὸν ι-
μίσειαν τῶν παρά αὐλοῖς πάντων ἐμε-
εισάμην. (d) "Αὐα⁽¹³⁾" καὶ Τιαμῶ, τὰς
λεγομένας Τζιαμῶ, καὶ τὰς Γαμβο-
λαὶ, καὶ τὰς ἐγγὺς αὐτῶν, καὶ (e) Ζιγ-
γαβενὲ, καὶ Ἀγαθὲ, καὶ Τιαμὰ, καὶ
Ἄθαγας, καὶ Καλαὰ, καὶ Σεμῆνη
ἔθνος πέραν τὴν Νείλον, ἐν δυσβά-
τοις καὶ χιονώδεσιν ὅρεσιν οἰκεῖας,
ἐν οἷς διαπανὸς οφετοὶ καὶ κεύν καὶ
χιόνες βαδύταται, ὡς μέχει γο-
νάτων καλαδιών αὐδεροῦ, τὸν πο-
ταμὸν διαβὰς ὑπέταξα. Ἐπειδα
(f) Λασινὲ, καὶ Ζαὰ, καὶ Γαβαλὰ, οἰ-
κεῖας παρά ὅρεσι τερεμῶν ιδάτων
βλύζεται καὶ καλαρρύτοις, Ἀταλ-
μῶ καὶ Βεγὰ, καὶ τὰ σωὶς αὐτοῖς
ἔθνη πάντα. (g) Ταγγαῖτας τὰς μέ-
χει τῶν τοῦ Ἀιγύπτου ὁρίων οἰκεῖας
ὑποτάξας πεζόθεας ἐποίησα τὸν ὄ-
δον αὐτὸν τῶν τῆς ἐμῆς βασιλείας τό-
πων μέχει Ἀιγύπτου. Ἐπειδα Ἀννι-
νὲ καὶ Μετίνη ἐν ἀποκείμνονοις οἰκεῖαι
ὅρεσι. (h) Σεσέα⁽¹⁴⁾ ἔθνος ἐπολέμησα,
καὶ μέγιστον καὶ δυσβατάτων ὅρεσι

in Aegyptum reportâset, copias
submisit⁽¹⁰⁾ per manus factos amnes.

Postea re viriliter gestâ, ὁ
proximis⁽¹¹⁾ regiae meae gentibus ad
pacem redire jussis, debellavi, ὁ
subjeclas mibi reddidi, has quae
sumi subscriptæ gentes. (c) Gaze⁽¹²⁾
gentes bello petii, deinde Aga-
me, ὁ Signen, victorque par-
tem omnium que apud illos erant
dimidiati mibi retinui. (d) Ava⁽¹³⁾
ὁ Tiamo, vocatos etiam Tzia-
mo, ὁ Gambela, ὁ que sunt ipsis
proxima, ὁ (e) Zingabene, ὁ
Angabe, ὁ Athagaos, ὁ Calaa,
ὑπεραντας gentem ultra Nilum,
in aviis ὁ nivosis montibus ba-
bitantes, ubi omnimodo pruinæ
ὑπεραντας glacies, ὁ nives profundissi-
mæ, ut vel genua tenus vir in-
grediatur, trajecto flumine, sub-
jeci: Deinde (f) Lasine, ὁ Zaa,
ὑπεραντας Gabala habitantes in disruptis
montibus, qui que aquis calidis sca-
turunt Atalmo Begaque, gentes
que tractus istius omnes. (g) Tan-
gaitas ad Aegypti usque confinia
habitantes cum subegisset, viam
feci quæ tutò pedibus iretur à sub-
iectis mibi locis usque Aegyptum.
Deinde Anine ὁ Metine in praci-
piñibus habitantes montibus. (h) Se-
sea⁽¹⁴⁾ gentem bello petii, eosque re-

ἀνελθόντας φέρεντος κατήγα- cedentes in maximum & difficil-
γουν, καὶ ἐπελεξάμενον ἐμαυτῷ τὰς λίμνας accessum montem quum cu-
τεὶς αὐτῶν, καὶ γωνίας, & stolidā positā ciuixissim, deduxi in
παιδας, καὶ παρθένας, & πάταν τὸν πλανum, & delegi mibi eorum
ιστάσθεταν αὐτοῖς κτῆσιν.^(h) Ραυ- juvenes & uxores, & pueros, &
σῶν ἔθνη μεσόγεια λιβανωφό- virgines, omnemque quae suppete-
ρων Βαρβάρων ὄκενθα ἐντὸς πε- bat illis possessionem. ^(h) Rhauſo
δίων μεγίστων αἰνόδων, καὶ ^(h) Σο- gentem mediterraneam thurifero-
λατὲς ἔθνος ιστάξα, οἷς καὶ τὰς
αἰγαλίχες τῆς θαλάσσης Φυλάσσειν
ἐκέλευσα. Ταῦτα δὲ πάντα τὰ
ἔθνη ὅρεσιν ιχυσοῖς πεφερεμένα
αὐτὸς ἐγὼ ἐν ταῖς μάχαις πα-
ρεὼν νικήσας καὶ ιστάξας ἔχαρι-
σάμεν αὐτοῖς πάτας τὰς χώρας
Ἐπὶ Φόρεις. "Αλλα δὲ πλεῖσα
ἔθνη ἔκοντα ιστείαγη μοι Ἐπὶ Φό-
ρεις. Καὶ πέραν δὲ τῆς Ἐγ-
γράφεις θαλάσσης ὄκενθας Αργείτας
⁽ⁱ⁾ καὶ Κιναδοκολπίτας σερθόν-
μα ναυτικὸν καὶ πεζικὸν διατεμ-
ψάμενος & ιστάξας αὐτῶν τὰς
Βασιλέας, Φόρες τῆς γῆς τελεῖν
ἐκέλευσα, & ὥσθετος μετ' εἰρήνης καὶ
πλέοντος. Από τε ^(k) Λαύκης ⁽ⁱ⁾ χώρων
^(l) ἕως τῶν Σαβαίων χώρας ^(m) έ-
πολέμησα. Πάντα δὲ ταῦτα τὰ ἔθνη
περὶ ἐμοῦ, ιστάξα. Δι' ἣν ἔχω
τὸν μέγιστον θεόν με "Ἄγεις ἐν χα-
ρεσίαιν, ὃς με τὴν γέννησε, δι' & πάν-
τα τὰ ἔθνη τὰ ὄμορφα τῇ ἐμῇ
γῇ, διπλὸν μὲν αὐτολόντος μέχει τῆς

cedentes in maximum & difficil-
juvenes & uxores, & pueros, &
virgines, omnemque quae suppete-
bat illis possessionem. ^(h) Rhauſo
gentem mediterraneam thurifero-
rum Barbarorū habitantem in-
tra maximos inaquosos campos,
& Solate ^(h) etiam gentem subjuga-
vi, quos & oras maris præsidii
occupare jussi. Has verò omnes
gentes, robustis montibus circum-
septas, cum in pugnis præsens
Ἐπὶ Φόρεις. ipse devicissim, & subjugassim,
omnes eis regiones gratiosè velti-
gales dedi. Sed & plurimæ al-
lie gentes sponte se mibi veltiga-
les dediderunt. Quin & trans
mare Rubrum habitantes Arabi-
tas ⁽ⁱ⁾, & Cinædocolpitas, misso
exercitu nautico & pedestri, sub-
jugatisque eorum regibus, jussi
terræ tributa pendere; pacatoque
iri itinere tum pedestri tum mari-
timo. Regiones etiam ab ^(k) Albo
⁽ⁱ⁾ vico Sabæos ^(l) usque debellavi.
Has verò primus ego, solusque
regum qui ante me fuerunt, gen-
tes omnes subjugavi. Quamobrem
gratias habeo maximo Deo meo
Marti, qui me etiam genuit, cu-
jus ope gentes omnes ditioni mee

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Λιβανωτοφόρος, ἀπὸ δὲ δύσεως μέχει τῶν τῆς Αἰθιοπίας ἐπί Σάσης τόπων, ὃν ἔμαυλον ἐποίσα· ἀ μὲν αὐτὸς ἐγὼ ἐλθὼν ἐνικήσας, ἀ δὲ σιαπεμπόρους. Καὶ εὑρίσκην καλασίσας πάντα τὸν ὃν ἔμοι⁽¹⁾ κόσμου, κατῆλθον εἰς τὴν Ἀδέλην τῷ Δὶ, ἐπὶ τῷ Ἀρεὶ, ἐπὶ τῷ Ποσειδῶνι θυσίας⁽²⁾ ὃντες τῶν πλωιζόμενων. Ἀθερίσας δέ με τὰ σερτάματα, καὶ υφ' ἐν ποιόσας, Τὴν τάχιστην τόπῳ καθίσας τόνδε τὸν δίφερον, παρερθίκει τῷ Ἀρεὶ, ἐποίσα⁽³⁾ ἔτει τῆς ἔμης⁽⁴⁾ βασιλείας KZ.

conterminas, ab oriente usque ad Thuriferam, ab occidente verò usque ad Aethiopiam. Satisque loca, subditas mibi feci: alias quidem ipse veniendo vincens, alias legatis à me missis. Cumque totum sub me rege⁽⁵⁾ mundum in pace constituisse, descendī Adulen sacrificatum Jovi, & Marti, & Neptuno⁽⁶⁾ pro navigantibus. Collectis verò & adunatis exercitibus, hoc in loco quum consedisse, ⁽⁷⁾ sellam hanc, Depositum Marti, feci⁽⁸⁾ anno⁽⁹⁾ regni mei vicesimo septimo.

Cosme, & Montfauconii ad Monumentum Notæ, literulis signatae.

(1) Ἐν τῇ Ἀδέλῃ, Adule, ex quā mare adjacens sinus Adulitanus vocabatur, vide Ptolemaeum. Montfauconii.

(2) Ελεσβαῖν, Elesbaan Rex Axomitarum, eā quam Cosmas memorat expeditione, Homericarum regnum delevit, pulso Dunaano rege Judaicæ religionis, qui immanem in Christianos carnificinam exercebat. Qui Elesbaan alio nomine Calebus vocabatur, à Græcis pariter & Arabibus & Aethiopibus celebratus, atque in sanctorum fastos relatus est. Hujus mentionem habent Nonnosus in Photio, Metaphrastus, Callistus, Abulpharagius. Hæc pluribus recensita video apud Joburn Ludolphum, accurassimum rerum Aethiopicarum interpretem & indagatorem. Montfauconii.

(3) Γάζη Gaza. Ex nominibus Aethiopicis quæ sequuntur pleraque hodierni usūs in Aethiopiâ sunt, quæ nos pro facultate indicabimus, eā tamen cautione ut ne nimium conjecturis indulgēamus. Gaza in Aethiopiâ pro loco aut gente peculiari non occurrit; sed Hodierni Habessini regnum suum Gheza vocant: an verò id ipsum Inscriptio, Gazam à Ptolemaeo in Aethiopiâ subjugatam memorans, significet, ignoratur. Quæ mox sequitur Ἀγάμην, Agame vel Agami, iam Agamia dicitur, estque præfectura regni Tigræ: nec ex nominis similitudine tantum eadem esse deprehenditur, sed etiam quia quæ mox recensentur loca, pleraque huic vicina sunt. De Σιγύη nihil reperio. Montfauconii.

(4) Αὔα η Τιαμᾶ, quæ item Τιγρέμων vel Τιγρέμη dicebatur. Eo nomine præfectura quædam regni Tigræ hodieque proximè Agamiam exstat, Tzama. De Ava nihil habemus, nisi sorte dicas esse præfecturam Tigræ quæ dicitur Afa. De Γάμηλα occursit nihil. Montfauconii.

(5) Καὶ Ζιγγαληνή καὶ Ἀγγαθή, καὶ Τιαμᾶ καὶ Ἀθαγαθή καὶ Καλακά καὶ Σεμηνή. De duobus primis nihil fuccurrit. De Tiama verò conjectare licet esse aliam præfecturam Tigræ cognominem in regno Bagamedra, nec procul positam, Tzama diētam. Athagaois:

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gios: duæ sunt in Habessiniâ regiones nomine *Aguo*, quarum alterutra hic fortasse indicatur. De Calaa nihil. Seimene verò aut Samine, mox sequens, est certissimè regio Samen vel Semen hodierna; nam & nomen consentit ad primè, & præruptis nivosisque montibus plena esse narratur. *Montfauconii.*

(^f) Ἐπειλα Λασινὲ, καὶ Ζαὰ, καὶ Σαβαλὰ. Hæ gentes hactenus ita vocantur. *Cosmæ.*

(^g) Σεσέα θνος ἐπολέμησα. *Sesea Gentem debellavi.* Hic Barbaræ gentes indicat. *Cosmæ.*

(^h) *Sesea, Rauso & Solate* ad Barbariam pertinent. Barbaria autem regio erat maritima; ultra fretum Arabici sinūs, ut ait plerumque Cosmas, quæ item Thurifera vocabatur.. *Montfauconii.*

(ⁱ) Αρεσίτας καὶ Κιναδοκολπίτας. Gentes quæ in Homerite sunt significat, id est, Felicis Arabiae populos. *Cosmæ.*

(^k) ἀπὸ τῆς Λάζης Κύρης. In partibus Blemmyum vicus est nomine Leucogen. *Cosmæ.*

(^l) ἡνς τὸ Σαβαλῶν χωές. Sabæorum item Regio in Homerite est. *Cosmæ.*

(^m) καὶ Σάσος τόπων. Hæc Sasi regio ultima Æthiopum est, ubi etiam multum auri reperitur, quod dicitur Tancharas. Ulterius autem est Oceanus & regio Barbareotarum qui Thurus excent mercaturam. *Cosmæ.*

(ⁿ) τὸν δὲ πόλεων. Et hæc quidem in sellâ scripta sunt. Porro usque in præsentem diem ante hanc sellam reos capitali pœnâ adficiunt. In Semenem verò, ubi nix & glacies esse dicitur, Rex Axiomitarum eos mittit, quos exsilii pœnâ mulcat. *Cosmæ.*

(^o) ἔτε τῆς ἡμέρας Βασιλέως Κ. Ζ. i. e. anno regni nostri viceximo septimo. Est itaque hic unus ex iis qui regnârunt Ptolemaëis, sive Philometor, sive Euergetes secundus, sive is qui Dionysus dictus. Nam ii ultra viginti septem annos regnârunt.

Levis iste *Cosmæ* commentariolus, idemque non levis error. Etenim scripta est in hoc lapide vera illa Euergetis Primi Historia, qui viginti sex annos integros & vice simi quoque septimi partem aliquam regnavit. Verum attende, bone lector: Hæc non intellexit, adeoque non fixit Cosmas. *Vide notam è nostris ultimam.*

Nostræ ad Monumentum Notæ, signatae numeralibus.

(¹) Ἀδέλη λιμένι Αξιωματῶν. Maritimâ Æthiopum, Adule vocatâ, urbe, Axiomitarum portu. Eadem Plinio lib. 6. c. 29. oppidum Aduliton seu, ut postea habet, Adulitarum, maximum Emporium Troglodytarum, etiam Æthiopum. Abeft (inquit) à Ptolemaide ad fauces Rubri mari quinque dierum navigatione: Ab Axumis autem, tradente sic Nonnosus apud Photium, itinere dierum quindecim. ή δὲ Αξιους (inquit) πόλις, ισι μεγίστη, καὶ οὐσιον μητρόπολις τῆς ὅλης Αἰθιοπίας. i. e. Est verò Axumis urbs maxima, totius quasi Æthiopicæ metropolis.

(²) ὁ τηνικαῖτα βασιλεὺς Αξιωματῶν Ελεσβαν. Rex tunc Axiomitarum Elesbaan. Congruit his idem ille Nonnosus Historiæ Legionum apud Photium Auctor, ipse scilicet legatus ab Imp. Justiniano missus, idque paulo post Cosmæ nostri negotiationem, πρὸ τὸν τῶν Αξιωματῶν βασιλέα, Ελεσβαν δὲ τότε ἐκρέπεται οὐρανος. i. e. ad Axiomitarum Regem. Genti verò tum imperitabat Elesbaas. Photii Cod. iii.

(³) βασιλεὺς μέγας Πτολεμαῖος, ἃς βασιλίων Πτολεμαῖον καὶ βασιλίων Αρτιούντος θεῶν αἰδελφῶν, τῶν βασιλέων Πτολεμαῖον καὶ βασιλίων Βεγενίνος θεῶν Σωτήρων ἀπόλονος. i. e. Rex magnus Ptolemaeus Filius Regis Ptolemaei & reginæ Arsinoes, deorum Fratrum, Regum Ptolemaei & Regine Berenices deorum Servitorum nepos.

Geminata in hoc proœmio ΘΕΩΝ ΑΔΕΛΦΩΝ & ΘΕΩΝ ΣΩΤΗΡΩΝ elogia ansam Begero præbuere dubitandi de Antiquitate Monumenti. Hactenus enim in Ptolemaicæ similiæ nummis, non nisi simplex ΘΕΩΝ supra Soteris & Berenices capita, simplexque ΑΔΕΛΦΩΝ supra Philadelphum & Arsinoen comparuerant. At statim aureus est repertus post hæc objeta nummus, cum jugatis capitibus hinc Ptolemaei Soteris & Berenices, illinc Philadelphi & Arsinoes; illis quidem sine Epigrapha; his verò integrum

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tegrum præferentibus, ut in hâc Inscriptione Adulitanâ, ΘΕΩΝ ΑΔΕΛΦΩΝ elogium. Singularem hujusmodi nummum opportunè orbi eruditò suppeditavit Clariss. Vaillantius. *Hjst. Ptol. Regum* pag. 52. Isque sub initiis Ptolemei Euergetis signatus fuit; tum scilicet cùm Philadelpum recens defunctum consecraret Euergetes, ut Arsinoem prius defunctam Philadelphus ipse consecraverat. Clarè igitur ΘΕΩΝ ΑΔΕΛΦΩΝ titulum nonnummus hâc Epigraphâ insignis explicat: nec minus clarè ΘΕΩΝ ΣΩΤΗΡΩΝ, hoc est, Soteris & Berenices Divorum servitorum titulum, Bucolici Poetæ carmen: *Qui tamen Ἀργεῖος προσωπεῖς, Auxiliatores pro Servatores, Poeticâ suadente, dixit. Theocriti Id. 17.*

Μῆλοι φίλαρη πατέρες θυνάδεις: ἔστι τοῦ νησίος.
Ἐν δὲ αὐτοῖς χρυσῷ περικαλλίταις ἡδεῖς ιδέφανται
Ἴδρυσεν, πάντεσσιν ἐπιχθονίοισιν ἀργεῖος. i. e.

*Struxit odoriferum matrique patrique facellum:
Interiusque ipsos elephanto auroque decoros,
Humano auxilium generi, duo numina fecit.*

Sed & alterum objectum à Begero est, nullos suisse Philadelpo ex Arsinoe coniuge & sorore liberos; clarè illud traditum à Pausaniâ; & proinde, si verum fuerit, auctum esse de Monumento. At nihil minus, insignissime Begere. E contrario, nova hinc orta lux, & testimonium Antiquitati redditum. Jure enim adoptivo & legitimo Divæ Arsinoes filium se tulit Euergetes: unde prælatus est iste minus solens verborum ordo ΤΙΟΣ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΑΡΣΙΝΟΗΣ προ αλιο longè usitatiore ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΑΡΣΙΝΟΗΣ ΤΙΟΣ. Iterum ut uno eodemque jure, hoc est naturæ ipsius, non adoptionis lege, tum Berenices tum Soteris nepotem se innueret, admissa est insolita locutio, ΤΩΝ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΝ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΗΣ ΒΕΡΕΝΙΚΗΣ προ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΗΣ ΒΕΡΕΝΙΚΗΣ ἀπόγονος. Hanc interim adoptionem à Theocriti Scholiaste accipe, *ad Idyl. 17.* Πτολεμαῖον τῷ Φιλαδελφῷ συνάκτει πρότερον Ἀρσινόη ή Λυσιμάχη, ἀφ' οὗ καὶ τὸς παῖδες ιγνήσουν, Πτολεμαῖον, καὶ Λυσιμάχον, καὶ Βερενίκην. Ἐπιειλένταν δὲ ταύτην ινέων, . . . ιξέπεμψεν εἰς Κοπὴν . . . καὶ τὴν ὄπεαν ἀδιάφορην Ἀρσινόην λύγρει, καὶ εἰσεπονήσαντας ἀπόλητον τὸν τῆς προτέρας Ἀρσινόης γεννηθέντας παῖδας. i. e. Ptolemaeo Philadelpo primo conjuncta fuit Arsinoe Lysimachi F. ex quā & liberos suscepit, Ptolemaeum (hoc est Euergetem nostrum) Lysimachum, & Berenicem. Hanc autem contra se conspirantem cùm detexerat, allegavit eam Coptum in exilium, propriamque ipsius sororem Arsinoem maritam duxit. Eique ex Arsinoe priore genitos adoptavit liberos. Priorem igitur Arsinoen, damnatum, injussum, nullisque uspiam aut nummis aut monumentis honorandum nomen jure silvit Euergetes; alteram rectè inscribens adoptivam matrem, & Divæ sororis & Veneris Zephyritis titulo, impensè ab Ægyptiis cultam.

(4) Τὰ μὲν ἀπὸ πατρὸς Ηρεκλίου τὰ Διός. Paterno genere à Jove per Herculem ducto gloriatur; id quod Soteri Ptolemaeo cum Alexandro Magno commune, intra ipsam Ptolemaeorum aulam, Philadelpo & Euergeti æqualis, Theocritus Poeta cecinit.

Ἄρμφοιν ϕῶ περόγονος σφίν ὁ κάρτερος Ηρεκλέας. i. e.
His Heraclides proavus communis utriusque. Idyl. 17.

(5) Τὰ δὲ διὸν μῆρος Διονύσου τὰ Διός. Qui matrem naturâ Arsinoen superiùs silebat, hic genus per eam duclum non silet Euergetes. Sed palam facit eam genitam à Lysimacho; Lysimachum generis fui Auctorem perhibuisse Bacchum. Hæc duo memorata genera demonstrant prius illud ΤΙΟΣ ΘΕΩΝ ΑΔΕΛΦΩΝ i. e. *Filius Divorum Fratrum*, nonnisi sensu adoptionis, quoad matrem accipi. Aliter idem esset Euergeti & Paternum & Maternum genus. Sanè ex fratre & sorore uterinâ genitis diversum esse non potest.

(6) Παρεγλαύκων πατέρα πατέρος, κ. τ. λ. i. e. cùm accepisset à patre regnum. De tradito Euergeti à Philadelpo patre imperio, Monumento plenè concinit Theocritus.

Καὶ μὲν Φοινίκας διπτέμυθαι, Ἀρραβίας τε,
Καὶ Συρίας, Διδύνης τε, κελανῶν τὸν Αἰθιοπίαν.
Παμφυλίοις τε πάσι καὶ σιχμύταις Κιλίνεσι
Σημανεῖ, Δυνίοις τε φιλοπόλιμοις τε Κάρεσι,
Καὶ νάραις Κυκλαδεσιν——Idyl. 17.

*Partim Phœnicas, partim Libyasque Syrosque,
Atque Arabas partim sibi vendicat, Aethiopasque,
Pampbyliosque omnes, Cilicasque hostile gerentes,
Et Lyciam, Carianique, Et Cycladas aequore sparsas.*

(7) μετὰ ἐλεφάντων Τρωγλοδιῶν τὴν Αἰθιοπίαν, οὐδὲ τοῦ πατέρος αὐτῷ καὶ ἀδελφῶν περί τοῦ χώρων τάπαν ιθῆρσαν. i. e. cum Elephantis Troglyticis Aethiopicisque, quos & regis pater, & rex ipse Euergetes primi ex sedibus istis venatus ceperunt. Philadelphus huic venatu unicè intentus Ptolemaidem condidit in sinu Arabico, ea ratione Ptolemaidem Θρᾳ & Δήλῳ θέσι i. e. venaticam cognominatam. Eumque Agatharcides à Photio excerptus primum dicit instituisse Elephantorum atque ejusmodi belluarum venationem. Quod tamen cautius & verius in Inscriptione nostrâ de Troglyticis & Aethiopicis elephantis, perque eas, solummodo regiones venatione, affirmatur. Simili restrictione Hieronymus ad Danielem cap. xi. Narrant (inquit) Historiæ Ptolemaicum Philadelphum habuisse elephantos, quos primus eduxit ex Aethiopia, quadrungentos. Indicorum enim usum elephantorum quis non novit antiquiore?

(8) ιερεργάτεσσιν εἰς τὴν Ασίαν, κ. τ. λ. . . . κυραδίσσας δὲ εἰλές Ευφράτης χώρας πάσσας, κ. τ. λ. . . . διέψη τὸν Ευφράτην πόλαμόν. i. e. Expeditiouem in Asiam fecit, rediisseque omni intra Euphratem regione, trajecit fluvium. Hoc est quod Historiæ attigit Appianus in Syriacis p. m. 201. Πτολεμαῖος οὐ Φίλαδελφε . . . is Συρίαν ινίσσεται, καὶ εἰς Βασιλῶνα ἥλαστ. i. e. in Syriam impetu facto Babylonem usque penetravit. Propheticè vero Daniel cap. xi. §. 7. veniet cum exercitu, & ingredietur provinciam regis Aquilonis, & abutetur eis & obtinet. Hieronymus quoque in Danielem commentatus, abusus est eis, inquit, & obtinuit, in tantum ut Syriam caperet, & Ciliciam, superioresque partes trans Euphratem, & propinquum universam Asiam. Unde & Josephus contra Apionem. l. 2. c. 5. Τρίτος Πτολεμαῖος, οὐ λεγόμενος Ευεργέτης, κατασχὼν ὅλην Συρίαν καὶ κρήπης, & τοὺς ἐν Λιγύνηι θεοὺς χαλεπίεις τῆς νίκης θύσεν ἀλλὰ θεραπεύομενος εἰς Ιεροσόλυμα πόλλας, οἷς ἡμῖν νόμιμον ἔστιν, ἀπέλασε θυσίας τῷ θεῷ, καὶ αὐτόθι σινθημάτα τῆς νίκης ἄξια. i. e. Ptolemæus tertius, cognominis Euergetes, cum totam vi Syriam obtinuerat, non illis in Aegypto diis viceris ebaristeria sacrificavit: sed præsens Hierosolymis multa, ritu nostro, Deo peregit sacrificia, & digna ista vitoria donaria sacrificavit.

(9) οὐαζούσας οὐαζεῖ τὸν Περσῶν ιερῷ εἰς Αιγύπτιον ιερόν, καὶ ἀναντίσας εἰς Αιγύπτον. i. e. cum perquisivisset quæcumque à Persis ex Aegypto avestræ fuerant, res sacras, easque unde cum aliâ ex locis congregata gaza in Aegyptum reportasset. Enī & rem, & verba sacræ Danielis prophetiae c. xi. §. 8. omnimodè respondentia. Insuper & Deos eorum & Sculptilia, vasea quoque pretiosa auri & argenti, captiva ducet in Aegyptum. Quibus addendus Hieronymus & servata ab eo Historia, lapidis non minus quam propheticæ interpres. Ptolemæus, cognomeno Euergetes, diripiens regnum Seleuci quadraginta millia talentorum argenti tulit; & vasea pretiosa, simulacraque deorum duo millia quingenta, in quibus erant quæ Cambyses, captiæ Aegypto, in Persas asportaverat. Denique gens Aegyptiorum, quia post multos annos deos eorum retulerat, Euergetem eum appellavit. Suffragatur his prolatus à Vaillantio Thebanorum nummus, hinc habens caput Jovis; illinc aquilam cum epigraphe ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΕΤΕΡΓΕΤΟΥ. Hi scilicet hunc cognominis honoremi primi detulisse vidi, leti ob restituta sacra, quæ Cambyses, incenso apud Thebas Jovis templo, spoliaverat. vid. Herodot lib. 3. cap. 24.

(10) οὐαζούσας οὐαζεῖ τὸν Ερυθρόν πόλαμόν. i. e. per manufallos amues. Διώρυγας vero intelligit; hoc est alveos circa Euphratem, non dissimiles iis qui circa Nilum, ductos. Per eos

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scilicet, exundante sub æstatem flumine, ab Assyriâ Arabiam versus submittendæ erant Ptolemaï copia. Interim ποταμός, hoc est amnes sive fluvios, eos vocat, non aliter atque eorum unum Palacottam, alias Pallacopam, ab Appiano & Arriano nominatum novimus. Cui tamen isti διάρχης ὁ Παλλακόπατος ἐν τῷ Ευφράτε, ὡχλὸν δὲ ἐν πηγῶν τοῖς ἀνίχνων ποταμοῖς. i. e. Alveus est Pallacopas ex Euphrate ductus, non à suis fontibus exoriens fluvius. Arrianus de expedit Alex. l. 7. c. 21. conferendus & Straboni lib. xvi. de his ipsis circa Euphratem alveis agenti.

(11) μεθ' ἀ τὰ μὲν ἔγγισα τῷ βασιλέως ἔθνη εἰρηνοῦσσας καλύπτας. i. e. Post debellatam Asiam, finitimis circa regiam gentibus, ad pacem redire jussis. Hæc omnino pertinent ad compressionem in Ægypto seditionem istam, quam & Justinus memoravit & Hieronymus. Hic enī Ptolemaeum in terram suam tum reversum tradit, cum audisset in Ægypto seditionem moveri. Ille verò; (lib. 27. c. 2.) nisi in Ægyptum domesticā seditione revo-
catus esset [Ptolemaeus] totum regnum Seleuci occupasset.

(12) Γαζὴ ἔθν. i. e. Gaza Gentes. Duas credo intelligi, quarum utriusque clarè fatis & explicita apud Plinium mentio, lib. 6. cap. 29. Gaza oppidum, inquit, promontorium, & portus Mysylites, quo Cinnamomum devebitur. Hucusque Sesostris exercitum duxit. Aliqui unum Æthiopic oppidum ultra ponunt in littore, Baragaza, i. e. maritimum Gaza.

(13) Ἄνα i. e. castellum Aven. Ejus notitia à Nonnoso est apud Photium Cod. iii. μῆρισκον ἑράν θλαστα περὶ χωρίου Ἀνην προσσημαχόμενος (κεῖται δὲ ἡ Ἀνην ἐν μέσῳ τῆς τε τῶν Ἀνζυμιῶν καὶ τῶν Ἀδελλῶν πόλεων) ἐλεφάντων πλήθες ἦν ὅλιγος, ἀλλὰ χεῖδον ἦσσος χιλιόδων πόλεως. i. e. Maximum oblatum est spectaculum circa castellum Aven distum (est verò Ave inter Axumitarum & Adulitarum urbem media) elephitorum nempe multitudo non exigua, imd millia ferme quinque.

(14) Ταγγαῖτας, cod. Vaticano οὐν Ταγγαῖτῶν. Tangitarum gentem. At verò If. Vossius, qui Florentinam hanc evolverat inscriptionem, ejusque præ Romanâ integratatem mirum in modum deprædicat in aureolis ad Pomponium Melam observationibus, non Ταγγαῖτας legit, sed Παγγαῖτας. In quo judicium & conjecturam suam secutus videtur vir doctissimus, potius quam elementi in MS. ductum. Nimurum id egit Vossius, ut Diodori Siculi, & Ptolemaici nostri marmoris, & emendati à se Melæ auctoritate demonstraret, Panchiam, decantatam à Poetis Thuriseram regionem, non Arabice Felicis, at Æthiopicæ fuisse portionem. If. Vossius ad P. Melam, l. 3. c. 8.

(15) Σπῆλαχος Κάψης, ab Albo vico. Ejus scilicet cuius meminit Strabo lib. xvi. Ælius Gallus, inquit, missus ab Augusto Cæsare ἵνα εἰς Λαβὲνην κάψην τῆς Ναζατάίων γῆς, ἐμπορεῖον μέγα i. e. pervenit ad Album vicum, Nabatæorum regionis, emporium magnum. Hujus verò, saltem hoc nomine, emporii nulla videtur fuisse celebritas Cosmæ nostri tempore: aliter illud intra Blemmyum in oppositâ continente fines, mercator, & navigator tantus, non quæsisset. vide Cosmæ notam k.

(16) ἐπολέμησα — χώρας — οὐν — i. e. debellavi regiones, gentes. Quod multoties in hac Inscriptione verbum istud ἐπολέμησα cum casu quarto construatur; nihil in eo peccatum est contra syntaxin grammaticalem: sed Hellenisticum est, veram laudatæ inscriptionis & originem & antiquitatem prodens. Id enim, ignotum classicis scriptoribus, utramque facit paginam in Versione LXX-virali, eodem, ac ipsa inscriptione, & tempore & loco natâ. Ex gr. Isa. xxxvi. 10. αἱρέθησεν δῆλον χώραν ταῦτην πολεμῆσαι αὐτήν. xxix. 1. πόλεις . . . ἐπολέμησε Δασίδ. Psal. cxxviii. 1. πλεονάκις ἐπολέμησάν με. Ier. xlvi. 10. φέρεται πολεμῶν αὐτὸν. Pari ratione inferiùs in inscriptione legitur καταλαθετεῖς τὸν Ἀδέλλον ποταμὸν, cui similem constructionem alibi vix reperies quam apud LXX. Ex gr. 2. Paralip. xxvi. 16. ισοῦθεν Οἴδης εἰς τὸν ναὸν κνεῖσθαι. ut omittam ἰχαελούρων, διχαελιαν ἔχην, τῇ ἱρῇ γῆ, aliaque qua Classicis parcìus adhibita, huic tamen inscriptioni cum Hellenisticis communia notabit Lector. De istâ quidem Hellenistica, rectè sic vocatur necne, nondum inter doctos convenit. At de re ipsâ, hoc est an mutationem passa sit Graeca lingua, occasione Macedonum in Ægypto & Syriâ regnantium, nemo unquam dubitaverit.

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(17) Πάντα τὸν ἴμον κόσμον. Totum sub me Rege mundum. Κόσμος & mundus non semper universum absolutè sumptum, sed & aliquando partem aliquam Universi insigniorē significant. Græcē igitur Clemens in Ep. ad Romanos, ὁ μετ' Ὀκτανίῳ κόσμοι. Latinè Propertius, lib. 4. eleg. 3. Cogor & è tabula piatos ediscere mundos.

(18) Θυσίας τῷ τῶν πλωτορέων. Sacrificatum pro navigantibus. Ecce titulum Euergeti certè nostro bene notum & familiarem: qui nempe Pharum Alexandrinum; à patris ejus, Regis Ptolemaei Philadelphi, anno primo, condecoraverat: ΣΩΣΤΡΑΤΟΣ ΚΝΙΔΙΟΣ ΔΕΞΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ ΘΕΟΙΣ ΣΩΤΗΡΣΙΝ ΤΠΕΡ ΠΛΩΤΟΜΕΝΩΝ. Vide Strabonem I. xvii. & Luciani Quom. scrib. sit Historia. Plinium verò lib. 36. cap. 12.

(19) ἔται τῆς ἡμής βασιλείας καὶ. Anno Regni mei 27. Annum ita lego vicesimum septimum, ut in Vaticano codice, numeralibus expressum. Huic enim respondent nummi Ptolemaici, annum regni modo simili notantes; ut & lapis iste Chronographus (qui tamen est sequioris ævi) Menandri Poetæ ætatem sic designans. ΜΕΝΑΝΔΡΟΣ ΔΙΟΠΕΙΘΟΤΣ. ΚΗΦΙΣΙΕΤΣ. ΕΓΕΝΝΗΘΗ. ΕΠΙ. ΑΡΧΟΝΤΟΣ. ΣΩΣΙΓΕΝΟΥΣ. ΕΤΕΛΕΥΤΗΣ. ΕΤΩΝ. Ν. ΚΑΙ. Β. . . . ΕΠΙ. ΑΡΧΟΝΤΟΣ. ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ. ΚΑΤΑ ΤΟῦ ΚΑΙ. Δ. ΕΤΟΣ. ΤΗΣ. ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ. ΣΩΤΗΡΟΣ. ΒΑΣΙΛΕΙΑΣ. Grut. MXXVII. Vid. Dodwelli de Dicearcho Dissert. p. 52. & animadversa ad Gruteri Pag. CMXVIII. Epigr. 12.

Non pauci olim Ptolemaeo nostro Euergeti tantummodo 25. regni annos tribuerunt, secuti nempe Canonem regum à Nabonassaro deductum. Is verò Canon ad rationes Astronomicas, non Historicas compositus, nulla regnandi agnoscit initia, nisi (ut inquit Censorinus) à primo die mensis ejus, cui aquilæ Egyptios nomen est Thoth. Qui igitur ratione istâ Astronomicâ viginti quinque annos regnaverit, Historicâ veritate integros viginti sex implere potuit Euergetes. Et rotidem implesse quidem, inter recentiores Chronographos, asserit Lydiatus nostras; de emendatione temporum pag. 91. extinēto Ptolemaeo Euergete postquam regnaverat 26. annos, Ἀgypti regnum adeptus est ejus filius Ptolemaeus Philopator. Idem aliquanto plenius inter veteres Historicos Auctor Josephus adstruit, secundūm exemplar Antiquitatum in Collegio Novo Oxoniæ servatum. Μέλα δὲ τὸν φιλάδελφον τὴν βασιλείαν καλέσει Πτολεμάος, ὁ καλλίμενος Ἐυεργέτης, ὃπερ δύος ἔτεων καὶ. i. e. Post Philadelphum regnum obtinuit Ptolemaeus, cognomine Euergetes, viginti sex totis annis. Vide Josephum à doctiss. Hudsono editum, pag. 519. Hæc satis innuere videntur quod expressum est in monuimento nostro; inchoatum nempe fuisse annum regni vicesimum septimum; quem quidem vincendi, regnandi, vivendi finem habuit Euergetes.

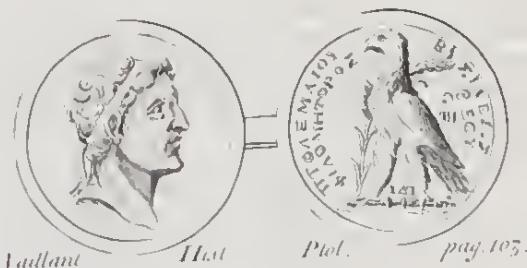
Nodum aliter solvit ὁ μακαρίτης Henr. Dodwellus, in Historicis certè & Chronographicis, immensā Vir doctrinā, & promptissimo ingenio Auctor. Numero ille Canonis Astronomici nimio plus adstrictus “Annum, inquir, regni καὶ huic Euergeti tribuit Monumentum Adulitanum. Is numerus si rectè se habeat, eum quoque cum “patre commune biennium habuisse necesse erit, ut habuit cum avo pater. Vide supra laudatam de Dicearcho dissertationem p. 56. inter veteres Geographos Oxon. 1703.

Nihil moramur de Monumento Adulitano, judicium dicam, an præjudicium, Cl. Joannis Harduini; in suis certè Conjectoris audacissimi; at de alienis mortalium, quos terra tulit, suspiciosissimi; cuique nihil sincerum visum in omni antiquâ Latinitate, præter Tullium, Plinium, Maronis Georgica, Flacci Sermones & Epistolas, Inscriptiones admodum paucas, Fastosque nonnullos. Vide ejus Chron. vet. Tejt. pag. 168. & de nummis Herodiadum p. 60. Huic scilicet, ut & Cl. Begero, displicere conjunctim lecta ΘΕΩΝ ΑΔΕΛΦΩΝ vobabula. Utrique igitur in his notis eadem operâ responsum est. Statque contrà clarus ille à Vaillantio, bono literarum fato, prolatus nummus. vide supra pag. 76, 83.

N. B. pag. 73. lin. 19. legendum, Jacobus Sponius. p. 80. l. 20. genu tenus.

Ptolemæus & Cleopatra Dii Philometores.

CUM rarissima sit Regum Ptolemæorum in lapidibus antiquis mentio, huic qui præcessit Ptolemæi Euergetis monumento subjungi meretur Cypria, quæ ad manum est, Inscriptione, Ptolemæi sexti & Cleopatræ ejus uxoris sororisque, titulis insignis. Debetur illa viro eruditissimo, amicitiâque mecum coniunctissimo, Rev. S. Lille, S. T. P. qui propriâ eam manu, apud Citium olim urbem, oppidum nunc *Larnaka*, exscripsit.



ΗΠΟΛΙΣ
ΑΓΙΑΝΔΑΜΟΘΕΤΟΥ ΚΡΗΤΑΤΟΝ ΑΡΧΙΣΩΜΑΤΟΦΥΛΑΚΑ
ΚΑΙ ΕΠΙΤΗΣΠΟΛΕΩΣ ΑΡΕΤΗΣ ΕΝΕΚΕΝ ΚΑΙ ΕΥΝΟΙΑΣ
ΤΗΣ ΕΙΣΒΑΣΙΛΕΑ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΝ
ΚΑΙ ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΑΝ ΚΛΕΟΠΑΤΡΑΝ
ΤΗΝ ΑΔΕΛΦΗΝ ΘΕΟΥ ΣΦΙΛΟΜΗΤΟΡΑΣ ΚΑΙ ΤΑ ΤΕΚΝΑ
ΑΥΤΩΝ ΚΑΙ ΤΗΣ ΕΙΣΑΥΤΗΝ ΕΤΕΡΓΕΣΙΑΣ.

Ἡ πόλις

Hoc honore prosecuta est Cittatum Civitas

Ἄγιαν⁽¹⁾ Δαμοθέτης Κεῆτα, Ἀρχισωματοφύλακα⁽²⁾, καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς πόλεως, αἴρετης ἔνεκεν καὶ ἐννόιας τῆς εἰς βασιλέα⁽³⁾ Πτολεμαῖον, καὶ βασίλισσαν Κλεοπάτρην, τὴν αὐλέλφην, θεὸς Φιλομήτορας, καὶ τὰ τέκνα⁽⁴⁾ αὐτῶν, καὶ τῆς εἰς αὐτὴν ἐνεργεσίας.

Hegiam⁽¹⁾ Damothetæ F. Cretensem, è primoribus⁽²⁾ corporis studiariis, & Civitatis præfectum, virtutis ergo, & benevolentiae erga regem⁽³⁾ Ptolemaum, & reginam Cleopatram Sororem, Deos Philometoras, liberosq; ⁽⁴⁾ eorum, & beneficentiae erga ipsam civitatem.

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Ad Inscriptionem notæ.

(1) Ἀγίαν Hegiam. Id nominis, Ἡγίαν varietate dialecti scriptum, habemus apud Laertium, inter curatores Platonis Testamenti; & apud Polybium, inter Phocaenium legatos ad Antiochum Seleuci missos.

(2) ἀρχιστρατοφύλακας. Ita & Pseudo-Aristeas, in LXXII interpretum historiâ, Ptolemaei Philadelphi memorat Σωτήσιον τὸν Ταρχένιον καὶ Ἀνδρέαν ἀρχιστρατοφύλακας. Erant enim tum circa Alexandrum M., tum circa ejus in regnis successores, ἀρχιστρατοφύλακες & σωματοφύλακες primores nempe, & inferiores corporis custodiarum. Ita vocem verto auctoritate Inscriptionis Latinae **CORPOR. CUSTODIARIOR.** superius jam pag. 35. allatae. Primores erant qui in Macedonum aulis Regis φίλαι, i. e. amici, vocabantur; inferiores qui, è nobilissimis familiis, in eundem ordinem juvenes allecti, officium obibant à Curtio, lib. 5. c. 1. descriptum. *Inter epulas, inquit, bi sunt regis ministri: iidemque equos ineunti prælium admovent, venantemque comitantur; & vigiliarum vicem ante cubiculi fores servant.*

(3) Βασιλέα Πτολεμαῖον καὶ βασιλιάσαν Κλεοπάτερον τὴν ἀδελφὴν, θεὸν Φιλαρῆτος. Hi geniti iisdem parentibus, Rege Ptolemaeo Epiphane, & Cleopatrâ Antiochi magni Filiâ, grato in matrem animo, quod Patri superstes & regno & matrimonio eos sociaverat, Philometoras, hoc est, matris amatores, se ferebant: nec Philometoras solum, sed & Deos Philometoras: exemplo eorum quos in præcedente monumento vidimus; ΘΕΩΝ ΣΩΤΗΡΩΝ, & ΘΕΩΝ ΑΔΕΛΦΩΝ. Nisi quod hi mortui à successoribus, illi à se vivi consecrarentur. Praetulus ille quem Vaillantio debemus nummus, hos Ptolemaeo honores anno regni 14, hoc est ante Christum 165, delatos testatur. Eodem cum reginâ Cleopatrâ, sorore conjugé, communicatos hæc primum inscriptio prodidit.

Cleopatra, mortuo Philometore, & alteri uterino fratri Regi Ptolemaeo Euergeti II. nupsit. Ejus igitur, aut ejus ex Philometore Filiæ, Cleopatræ, quam postea idem Euergetes II. uxorem duxit, mentio est in marmore, olim Delio, nunc Oxiensi.

ΜΑΡΚΟΝ ΣΥΓΓΕΝΗ
ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΤΕΥΧΕΤΟΥ
ΚΑΙ ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΗΣ ΚΛΕΟΠΑΤΡΑΣ ΚΑΙ
ΕΠΙΣΤΡΑΤΗΓΟΝ
ΑΥΓΚΙΟΣ ΚΑΙ ΓΑΙΟΣ ΠΕΔΙΟΙΓΑΙΟΥ ΤΙΟΙ
ΡΩΜΑΙΟΙ ΑΡΕΤΗΣ ΕΝΕΚΕΝ ΚΑΙ
ΚΑΛΟΚΑΓΑΘΙΑΣ ΚΑΙ ΤΗΣ ΕΙΣΕΑΤΤΟΥΣ
ΕΥΝΟΙΑΣ ΑΠΟΔΛΩΝΙΑΡΤΕΜΙΔΙ

i. e. MARCUM. COGNATUM. REGIS. PTOLEMAEI. EUERGETIS. ET. REGINAE. CLEOPATRAE. ET. PROpraetorem. LUCIUS. ET. CAIUS. PEDII. CAII. FILII. RONANI. VIRTUTIS. ERGO. ET. BONITATIS. ET. ERGA. IPSOS. BENEVOLENTIAE. posuere. A POLLINI. DIANAE.

(4) καὶ τὰ τέκνα & liberos, pro confuetâ nempe in Aulâ Ptolemaeorum formulâ. Hinc Philometoris avus Ptolemaeus ipse Philopator, datâ de Judeis Epistolâ, 3 Macc. vii. Ἐρράμεθα καὶ σύντοι καὶ τὰ τέκνα ἡμῶν. i. e. Valeamus & nos & liberi nostri. Pseudo-Aristeas quoque in spuriâ ad Philadelphum datâ. Αυτὸς τε ἐψώστη, καὶ καὶ βασιλιάσα Αρσινόη, καὶ ἀδελφὴ, καὶ τὰ τέκνα καλῶς ἀν ἔχοι. i. e. Et tu ipse, & Regina Arsinoe, soror vestra, & liberi bene valeant. Ubi caute liberos; nec Ptolemaei dixit, nec Arsinoe: quia diverso jure, hujus erant adoptione, illius naturâ liberi. Ut enim omnia finixerit, at omnia rei disconvenientia non finxit Aristeas. vid. Mon. Adul. Not. 3.

Donaria Apollinis Didymei.



Ultrò nos vocat, & remoratur aliò properantes, revisendus iterum insignis Milesius lapis: is nempe quem Regis Seleuci Monumentum à fronte ornat. Ab initio enim plura alia custodiuit *Donaria Apollinis Didymei*, dextro lèvoque ejus lateri commissa, quorum partem nobis invidit longa ætas; partem ipsa maculavit, quæ locum obsidet, barbaries; at partem aliquam servavit felix Sherardi diligentia, posthac dum stabunt literæ, nec interire, nec sordescere metuentem. Quod ergo primum hīc insequitur, priore sui parte satis integrum, & regis Prusia nomine nobilitatum, ætatem spondet annorum ante Christum plus minus 155. Secundum & Tertium, cùm eidem sint inscripta lapidi, par est ut ad idem fere tempus referantur.

I.

ΕΠΙΣΤΕΦΑΝΗΦΟΡΟΥΤΟΥΘΕΟΥ
• ΘΕΟΚΡΙΤΟΥΤΟΥΜΕΤΑΜΗΝΟΔΩΡΟΥ
ΠΡΟΦΗΤΕΟΥΝΤΟΣΔΕΑΝΤΙΠΑΤΡΟΥ
ΤΟΥΜΕΝΙΣΤΡΑΤΟΥΚΑΤΑ
ΠΟΙΗΣΙΝΔΕΜΕΝΑΝΔΡΟΥΤΟΥΜΑΙΩ
ΝΟΣΤΑΜΙΕΥΟΝΤΩΝΔΕΚΑΙΠΑΡ
ΕΔΡΕΥΟΝΤΩΝΕΝΤΩΝΙΕΡΩΙΔΗΜ....
.ΥΤΟΥΠΑΣΙΩΝΟΣΕΚΑΤΑΙΟΥΤΟΥ
ΑΡΤΕΜΩΝΟΣΤΑΔΕΑΝΤΕΘΗΤΩΙ
ΑΠΟΛΛΩΝΙΤΔΡΙΑΕΦΗΣΕΠΙΓΡΑΦΗ

* in aprob.
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 ΟΥΣΑ ΑΛΕΞΑΔΡΕΙΑΣ ΧΙΛΙΑΣ ΤΕΤΡΑΚ
 ΟΣΙΑΣ ΕΝΕΝΗΚΟΝΤΑ ΦΙΑΛΗ ΑΠΟΛΛΩ
 ΝΟΣ ΔΙΔΥΜΕΩΣ ΣΕΚΤΗΣ ΑΠΟΣΤΑΛΕΙΣ ΗΣ
 ΑΠΑΡΧΗΣ ΥΠΟΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΡΟΥΣΙΟΥ ΟΛ
 ΚΗΝΑΓΟΥ ΣΑ ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΕΙΑΣ ΤΡΙΑΚΟΣΙΑΣ
 ΚΥΦΙΚΗΝΩΝ ΦΙΑΛΗ ΟΛΚΗΝΑΓΟΥ ΣΑ ΑΛΕ
 ΖΑΝΔΡΕΙΑΣ ΕΚΑΤΟΝ ΚΡΑΤΕΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΚΡΑΤ.
 ΚΟΥΦΙΑ ΛΗ ΟΛΚΗΝΑΓΟΥ ΣΑΜΙΛΗΣΙΑΣ Ε
 ΝΕΝΗΚΟΝΤΑ ΚΑΝΟΥ ΤΗΣ ΦΥΛΗΣ ΑΣΩ
 ΤΙΔΟΣ ΟΛΚΗΝΑΓΟΝ ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΕΙΑΣ ΠΕΝΤ
 ΑΚΟΣΙΑΣ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΡΟΥΣΙΟΥ ΠΡΟΥΣΙΑΔΕΣ
 ΔΥΟ ΟΛΚΗΝΑΓΟΥ ΣΑΙΗΜΕΝΑ ΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΕΙΑΣ
 ΟΚΤΑΚΟΣΙΑΣ ΕΙΚΟΣΙ ΉΔΟΚΤΑΚΟΣΙΑΣ ΤΡΙΑ
 ΚΟΝΤΑ ΕΞΛΙΒΑΝΩΤΙΣ ΧΡΥΣΗΑ
 ΠΟΛΛΩΝΟΣ ΚΑΙ ΑΡΤΕΜΙΔΟΣ ΟΛΚΗΝΑΓΟΥ ΣΑ
 ΧΡΥΣΟΥ ΣΕΚΑΤΟΝΤΟ ΔΕΕΜΒΟΛΟΝ ΑΤΤΗΣΑΡ
 ΓΥΡΟΥΝΑ ΓΟΝΔΡΑ ΧΜΑΣΤΕΣ ΣΑΡΑΚΟΝΤΑ ΤΡΕΙΣΟ
 ΒΟΛΟΝ ΕΝΑΒΑΣΙΑΙΣ ΣΗΕΚΑΜΑΣ ΑΡΤΗΣ ΣΚΥΦΟΣ
 ΧΡΟΥΣΟΥ ΣΟΛΚΗΝΑΓΩΝ ΧΡΥΣΟΥ ΣΕΚΑΤΟΝΟΓΔΟ
 Η ΚΟΝΤΑ ΕΠΤΑ ΗΜΙΧΡΥΣΟΝ ΑΡΤΕΜΩ * * *

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Ἐπὶ Στεφανηφόρῳ τῷ θεῷ Θεοκείτῃ τῷ Μελαμποδώρῳ, πρεφτῷ δὲ⁽¹⁾ Ἀντιπάτρῳ τῷ Μενάνδρῳ πόιοισι δὲ Μενάνδρῳ τῷ Μαιῶνος, ταμιθύοντων⁽²⁾ δὲ καὶ παρεδεδυόντων ἐν τῷ Ἱερῷ Δημητέρᾳ τῷ Πασίωνος, Ἐκαλais τῷ Ἀρτέμιωνος, τάδε ἀνέθη τῷ Ἀπόλλωνι. Υδεῖα, ἐφ' ἣς ἐπιβραφὴ ΑΠΟΛΛΩΝΟΣ ΔΙΔΥΜΕΩΣ, ὅλην ἄγατα Ἀλεξανδρείας χιλίας τετρακοσίας ἑνενήκοιλα. Φιάλη Ἀπόλλωνος Διδυμέως ἐκ τῆς ἀποσαλείσης⁽³⁾ ἀπαρχῆς ἵωδε βασιλέως⁽⁴⁾ Πρεστίς, ὅλην ἄγατα

Sub Dei Stephanophoro Theocrito F. Metamenodori, Propheta verò⁽¹⁾ Antipatro F. Menistrati, Poetā Menandro F. Mæonis, Praefectis⁽²⁾ Ærarii, & Adfessoribus in Templo Demetrio F. Pasionis, Hecataeo F. Artemonis, dedicata hæc Apollini fuere. Hydria, super quam inscriptio APOLLINIS DIDYMEI, pondere æquans drachmas Alexandrinas mille quadringentas nonaginta. Phiala Apollinis Didymei ex⁽³⁾ primitiis quæ missæ sunt à Rege⁽⁴⁾ Prusia, pondere æquans Alexandrinas trecentas. Cyzicenæ⁽⁵⁾ Αλεξ-

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Αλεξανδρείας τελαχοσίας. Κυζικοῦ ἡνὶ φιάλη, ὅλην ἄγαστα Ἀλεξανδρείας ἔκαλον. Κρατές τῷ Κερδίνῃ φιάλη, ὅλην ἄγαστα Μιλησίας ἐνενήκοντα. Κανὼν τῆς Φύλης Ἀσωτίδος, ὅλην ἄγον Ἀλεξανδρείας πενταχοσίας. Βασιλέως Πρεσπών⁽¹⁾ Πρεσπαίδες δύο, ὅλην ἄγασται, η μὲν Ἀλεξανδρείας ὀκταχοσίας εἴκοσι, η δὲ ὀκταχοσίας τελαχούλα ἔξι. Λιβανωτὸς χειροῦ Ἀπόλλωνος καὶ Ἀστέριδος, ὅλην ἄγαστα χειροῦς ἔκαλον τὸ δὲ ἔμβολον [ν αὐτῆς αἱ γυναικεῖς, ἄγον δειχμαὶ τεσσαρεκοντά τρεῖς, ὄβολον [ένα. Βασιλίσσης Καματάρης σκύφος] χειροῦς ὅλην ἄγων χειροῦς ἔκαλον ὄγδοοντα ἑπτὰ, ἥμιτρον. Ἀρτεμίω⁽²⁾ * * * * *

norum Phiala, pondere æquans Alexandrinas centum. Crateæ F. Cratice Phiala, pondere æquans Milesias nonaginta. Canistrum tribus Astoidis, pondere æquans Alexandrinas quingentas. Regis Prusiæ⁽¹⁾ Prusiades duæ, pondere æquantes, una quidem Alexandrinas octingentas viginti; altera verò octingentas triginta sex. Accerra tauraria aurea Apollinis Θ Diane, pondere æquans aureos centum: ejusque repagulum argenteum, æquans drachmas quadraginta tres, obolum [unum. Reginæ Camasariæ scyphus] aureus, pondere æquans aureos centum octoginta septem, cum dimidio. Artemo⁽²⁾ * * * * *

II.

- * sic ΕΠΙΣΤΕΦΑΝΗΦΟΡΟΥΜΕΝΕΚΡΑΤΟΥ*ΠΡΟΦΗΤΕΥ
ΟΝΤΟΣΒΑΒΩΝΟΣΤΟΥΑΓΗΜΑΝΤΟΥΤΑΜΙΕΥ
ΟΝΤΟΣΔΕΚΑΙΠΑΡΕΔΡΕΥΟΝΤΟΣΕΝΤΩΝΕΡΩΙΚ
- * sic ΑΛΛΙΚΡΑΤΟΥ*ΤΟΥΑΠΟΛΛΩΝΙΟΥΤΑΔΕΑΝΕ
ΤΕΘΗΤΩΙΑΠΟΛΛΩΝΙΑΘΗΝΑΙΟΥΤΟΥΤ...
ΩΣΦΙΑΛΗΒΟΗΓΙΑΙΝΙΚΗΣΑΝΤΟΣΕΦΗΣΕΠΙ
ΓΡΑΦΗΟΛΚΗΝΕΠΙΧΩΡΙΑΙΕΝΕΝΗΚΟΝΤΑΚΥΞΙΚΗ
ΝΩΝΦΙΑΛΗΕΦΗΣΕΠΙΓΡΑΦΗΟΛΚΗΑΛΕΞΑΝΔ
ΡΕΙΑΙΕΚΑΤΟΝ.

Ἐπὶ Στεφανηφόρος Μενεκράτῳ, Sub Stephanephorō Menecrate,
πρεφούλιδύοντος Βαβῶνος τῷ Ἀγνυμάτῃ, ταυιδύοντος δὲ καὶ παρεδρεύοντος ἐν τῷ Ιερῷ Καλλικρέτῳ τῷ τῷ Απολλωνίᾳ τάδε ἀνέθητο τῷ Απόλλωνι. Αθηναῖς τῷ Τ... Propheta Babone F. Agemanti, Praefecto Aerarii, Θ ad seffore in Templo, Callicrate F. Apollonii, dedicata hec Apollini suere. Athenæi F. T... is Phiala Bo-

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ιως φιάλη⁽¹⁾ Βοηγίᾳ νικήσαντος, ἐφ' *um*⁽²⁾ *venatu victoris, super quam*
 ᾧ ἐπιγραφή [όλη] ἐπιχώειαι *inscriptio, pondus drachmæ nos-*
 ἐνενήκονται. Κυζικηνῶν φιάλη ἐφ' *træ Milesiæ nonaginta. Cyziceno-*
 ᾧ ἐπιγραφή, ὅλη Ἀλεξάνδρειαι *rum phiala supra quam inscrip-*
 ἔκαστον. *tio, pondus Alexandrinæ centum.*

III.

ΕΠΙΣΤΕΦΑΝΗΦΟΡΟΥΕΥΚΡΑΤΟΥ* ΤΟΥ. * sic
 .. ΠΡΟΦΗΤΕΥΟΝΤΟΣΔΕΑΝΤΗ.....
 .. ΤΟΥΕΥΑΝΔΡΙΔΟΥΤΑΜΙΕΥΟΝΤΩΝΔΕΚΑΙ
 ΠΑΡΕΔΡΕΥΟΝΤΩΝΕΝΤΩΝΙΕΡΩΙΛΕΩΔΑΜ
 ΑΤΟΥΔΑΜΙΔΟΣΙΑΣΟΝΟΣΤΟΥΜΥΩΝΙΔΟΥ
 ΤΑΔΕΑΝΕΤΕΘΗΤΩΙΑΠΟΛΑΩΝΙΕΣΧΑΡΙΣΧΡΥΣ
 ΗΟΛΚΗΝΑΓΟΥΣΑΧΡΥΣΟΥΣΠΕΝΤΑΚΟΣΙΟΥΣΗΠΡΟ
 ΣΕΝΕΧΘΕΙΣΛΥΠΟΤΩΝΑΝΔΡΩΝΤΩΝΑΙΡΕΘΕ
 ΝΤΩΝΕΠΙΤΑΣΚΑΤΑΣ * * * * *

Ἐπὶ Στεφανοφόρες Ἐυκράτεις τῇ Sub Stephanophoro Eucrate F.
 . . . προφητεύοντος δὲ Ἀντί Prophetā verò Ante . . .
 . . . τῇ Ἐυανδρείδῃ, ταμιθόνιων . . . F. Euandridæ, Praefectis Æra-
 δὲ καὶ παρεδέδουντον ἐν τῷ Ἱερῷ rii, & Adsefforibus in Templo,
 Λεωδάμα τῇ Δάμιδος, Ἰάσονος Leodamâ F. Damidis, Jasone F.
 τῇ Μυονίδῃ, τάδε ανείθη τῷ Ἀ- Myoniidis, dedicata hæc Apollini
 πόλλων. Ἐχαῖος χειροῦ ὄλκην ἀ- fuere. Thuribulum aureum pon-
 γυτα χειροῦς πεντακοσίες, ἡ προσ- dere æquans aureos quingentos,
 ενεχθεῖσα ὃσῳ τῶν ἀνδρῶν τῶν oblatum à viris qui electi fuere
 αἰρεθέντων ἐπὶ τὰς καλας⁽³⁾ * * * * ad * * * * *

Ad Donaria Apollinis Didymei notæ.

(1) Προφητεύοντος Ἀντίπατρος, καλὰ ποίησιν δὲ Μενάνδρου. i. e. Prophetæ Antipatro, Poeta verò Menandro. Prophetæ, Milesii hujs operis parti reservata, Προφῆται αμα. καὶ. Κεῖλαχτος. Φλαβιανος. λαβων. παρα. της. πατερος. την. προφῆταιν. ανακλησθει. κ. τ. λ. Cùm verò forte electi omnes poetico ingenio non essent prædicti, his aliquando substitutus est Poeta, qui edenda à Prophetæ responsa metricè componeret. Cui simile est quod, de Delphico agens oraculo, nos docet Strabo. Ibi nempe Pythiam, hoc est Prophetam fœminam, vaticinari quidem tum metricè, tum prosaicè, ἵνειν δὲ καὶ ταῦτα iis μέτρον ποιήσας τινας ὑπεργνῶν τῷ Ἱερῷ. i. e. Poetas quosdam templi ministros prosaica in metrum vertere. Strab. lib. ix.

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(1) Ταυτόν δίκην παρεδεδούσιν ἐν τῷ ιερῷ. i. e. *Præfetti Aerarii, & adiutoribus in Templo.* Idem illi, quibus sacri Thesauri concredita est custodia, adsidebant etiani in Templo, πάρεδεσι inde Ἀπόλλωνος vocati, de questio[n]ibus juris, ut apud Delphos Amphictyones, consiliarii, & judices, constituti. Sic enim ἡ Αμφικτυνικὴ σύνημα i. e. Collegium Amphictyonicum describit Strabo lib. ix. *Tanquam steti τε τὸν καινὸν βυλθόμενον, καὶ τῇ ιερῇ τὴν ἐπιμέλειαν ἔχον κανοῦσεν, ἀ τε καὶ χερμάτων ἀποκεμένων πολλῶν, καὶ αὐθηράτων, φυλακῶν, καὶ ἀγιστίας δεομένων μεγάλης.* i. e. de re communi, & de commissâ sibi Templi procreatione, confuturum, utpote multis ibi depositis & pecuniis & donariis, summa cum curâ & sanitate custodiendis.

(2) ἐν τῆς ἀπαρχῆς. i. e. ex primitiis donaria. Idem videmus in hoc oraculo Milesio, quod & de Delphico Strabo retulit; hoc est, ἀποκαθαι ἐν θησαυροῖς ἢντος λαφύρων ἀπαρχῆς, εἰπυρρήσας εὐζώνια, ἐν αἷς καὶ οἱ ἀιαθίλες. i. e. *reposita esse in thesauris donaria ē manubiis dedicata inscriptiones servantia & in iis dedicantium nomina.*

(3) ἐν τῆς αποστολῆς ἀπαρχῆς ὃν βασιλεὺς Πρεστίς. i. e. è primitiis missis à rege Prusia. Prusias hic intelligendus est regum Bithyniae ejus nominis tertius, Κυρνύος i. e. Venator appellatus; primitiæque ab eo missæ, ex spoliis forsitan Attalicis, post direptam urbem Pergamum, & Esculapium Prusias ipsius humeris auctum, anno ante Christum 156. Interim patratum Pergami scelus palpato Didymo Apolline desultoriæ vir religionis pensare voluit. Hujusque rei, eo quo decebat more, meminit Scymnus Chius, Poeta Geographus, in Senariis Nicomedi Prusias Cynegi F. dicatis §. 55.

Διὸ καὶ τῇ προσθίσιν, σύμβουλον ἐπελεξάμην
Τὸν συγκαλοθέωσαντα καὶ τῷ σῷ πατέρι
Τὰ τῆς βασιλίας πρότερον, ὡς αἰνόμενον,
Παρεῖσθαι τε, Εαστιεῦ, γνωσίας τημώμενον
Καὶ πάντα· Τὸν Ἀπόλλωνα τὸν Διδύμοις λέγω.
Τὸν καὶ θεμισθόντα, καὶ μυσηγέτην. i. e.

Hujus participem consilii feci Deum,
Qui prosperavit, sic enim audio, tui
Olim parentis regna, quique etiam tibi,
Rex magne, semper verò & constanti fide,
Fuit honoratus, in Didymis Apollinem
Responsa dantem, musarumque praesidem.

Ubi collaudans veram istam Nicomedis & constantem in Deum fidem contrariæ Prusiam inconstantiae non obscurè insimulavit auctor: Ejus nempe quam Polybius apertius depictam dedit. "Αμα μὲν θύειν, κ. τ. λ. i. e. " simul victimas cædere, iisque placare " divinum numen, omnemque aram atque mensam præter morem modumque colere, " quod, in genua prolapsus, & muliebri timore tremulus, facere solebat Prusias, si " mul eadem sacra deturpare, iisque destructis contumeliam divino numini infer " re, quis hæc non esse dicat animi insipientis opera? de virt. & vit. p. m. 1468.

(4) Πρεστίδες δύο. *Prusiales* duæ. Poculorum genus, ab ipso donatore Prusia id nominis sortitum, ut à Seleuco Σελεύκιδες, ab Antigono Ἀντιγονίδες. Πρεστίς (inquit Athenæus lib. xi.) ὅτι πὰ πολέμον ἐξορθὼν ἐστιν, κ. τ. λ. i. e. Quod Prusias fit rectum poculum, & à Prusia rege Bithyniae, luxu ac mollitie famoso, sic vocatum, testatur Nicander Chalcedonius. Neque abhorret ab his nummus, cuius anticam occupat Rex ipse Prusias; posticam verò rectum *Prusias* poculum; non, ut optimo Spanhemio visum, singularis velut citbara. de præst. numis. p. 514.



(5) ΑΡΤΕΜΩ * * supersunt hujus inscriptionis mutili tres versiculi, ē quibus nihil sani certive erendum, excepto quod legatur, ΦΙΑΛΙΟΝ ΟΛΚΗΣ ΡΟΔΙΩΝ ΕΙΚΟΣΙ—

(6) Βούνιζ, i. e. Boum seu Taurorum venatu. Is apud Thessalos institutus postea cum Ionibus colonis in Asiam unā commigravit. Ibi Ephesi, proximâ Milesiis urbe, frequentatum scribit Auctor Artemidorus; Smyrnæ verò annum fuisse testatur antiquum marmor, olim Smyrnæum, nunc, ex Seldeni testamento, Oxoniense; inscriptum

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scriptum ΤΑΥΡΟΚΑΘΑΥΙΩΝΗΜΕΡΑΒ. i. e. spectaculi quod vocatur *Taurocathapsia* die secundo. Eri illud incisum, luculentéque à doctissimo Prideauxio inter Marmora Oxoniensia explicatum, contemplare Lector. Nugantur verò veteres Glossatores Philoxenus aliique, qui *Pile* reddunt ταυροκαθαψίαι, & ταυροκαθαψίαι vice versā *Pile*. Erant enim spectaculum ab his toto genere diversum, jactate à Tauris pile, ταυρόσει ab iisdem Glossatoribus recte sortassis dictæ; de quibus Martialis lib. Specll. 19, 22. Jactat ut impositas Taurus ad astra pilas. At ταυροκαθαψίαι ipsissima fuere nostra Βούητα, Taurorum felicet venatio: secundum optimum vocis interpretem, pæclarum lapidem Oxonensem, in quo sculptæ ad vivum figuræ, id ipsum quod Plinius & Suetonius, tantum non loquuntur. Quorum hic in vita Claudi cap. 21. Exhibuit, inquit, *Theffalos* equites, qui ferros Tauros per spatha circi agunt, insiliuntque decessos, & ad terram cornibus detrabunt. Ille vero *Nat Hist.* l. 8. c. 45. *Theffalorum gentis inventum est, equo juxtâ quadrupedante cornu intortâ cervice tauros necare.*



(*) ΑΙΡΕΘΕΝΤΩΝ ΕΠΙ ΤΑΣ * * Hic visum fugere incipiunt, qui extitere olim quadraginta septem versiculi. Ornabant verò eundem lapidem & tres alii, mutatis nominibus his planè gemini, sed imperfecti, & nullo nunc momento tituli.

Monumenta Teia.



IN ipso Ioniæ meditullio olim florebat Teos, indigenis hodiè Bodrūn, Græcarum siqua alia civitatum, sub Lydorum & Persarum jugo, servitutis semper impatientissima. Quam verò naœta est libertatem beneficio Atheniensium, aut Macedonum in Asiam dominantium, eam sollicitè admodum custodiit; palpatis Antiocho M. & Philippo, Syriæ & Macedonia regibus, mox etiam missis ad Romanos, ad Aetolos, & quamplurimos Cretæ pulos,

pulos, legationibus. Apud hos omnes id unicè agebant Teii, ut sibi novum jus Asyli, ratione territorii Baccho nuper consecrati, ratum firmumque haberetur. Ut verò eorum postulatis benignè atque amicè quis responderit, prorsus illud seu Decretum, seu Epistolam, in lapides retulere Teii: Quorum hodieque, in ipso oppido Bodrùn, & in vicinis circumquaque villulis, agriſque non pauci prostrati jacent. Una autem, diversi ab his generis, concepta Dirarum Formula, ad antiquiora longè tempora, ipso Anacreonte Teio haud inferiora, referenda est. Aequum igitur ut, illis suo ordine secuturis, ab hocce potius exordiamur, mirâ post Sigeum lapidem, & ætate, & raritate monumento.

Teiorum Diræ.

DEFIGI diris deprecationibus nemo non metuit, inquit Plinius, lib. 28. c. 2. Dirarum verò obnuntiatio apud Græcos olim & Romanos in usu suit, veteri horribilique sacro ab Hebræis, ut videtur, ducto. Moses certè monitu divino, ut benedictionum unam, ita & alteram maledictionum seu dirarum formulam concepit, candidis lapideis tabulis, supra montem Hebal, inscribendam. Eamque coram omni multitudine postea legit Josue, primus ille Israelitarum post Mosem duxtor. Deut. xxvii. 12. Jos. viii. 34. More non dissimili & summus Atheniensium Magistratus Diras quotannis obnuntiavit contra nefarios non alio facile vinculo coercendos: Speciatim contra vetita exportantes: secundum legem à Solone scriptam: *id ni Archon fecerit, centum ipse drachmas multam Ærario ut persolveret.* A Romanis quoque Diras obnuntiari suetas, post Ciceronem *de Divin.* 1. & Plutarchum in *Craſſo*, Auctor in *Parthicis* Appianus: seriò scilicet persuasis, *reconditas hasce veteresque Diras talem vim habere ut nemo illis implicitus ullo modo potuerit effugere.* Ergo vidimus, inquit Plinius, certis precationibus obsecrâſſe summos magistratus. . . Sacri verò precationem, quâ solet præire *Quindecimvirum Collegii magister*, si quis legat, profectò vim carminum fateatur, ea omnia approbantibus octingentorum triginta annorum eventibus. Nihil mirum igitur, si exiguus Teiorum populus, beati & feracis agri, at mali securi juxta mare cultor, hac se Dirarum religione, contra improborum hominum facinora, tutum & munitum vellet.

Ipſe

Ipse ille, qui reliquias monumenti servat, prope *Era-ki* oppidulum, octo horarum itinere à Smyrnâ dissipatum, inter sepulchreta Turcica projectus jacet, mole satis magnus, stelæ formâ oblongus lapis. Altiorum ejus antiquitatem, bis mille annos longè superantem, præter alia mox notanda, arguunt Simonideæ quidem, sed non diu post Simonidem, rudioris figuræ literæ. Atque inter eas quædam etiam Cadmearum formam vix dum integrum exuerant. Etenim N reducto uno inæquali latere; Σ verò ut arcus Scythicus formatur. O quoque, quæ à Cadmi tempore sonum ΟΥ syllabæ expresserat, ejus proinde vicem multoties in monumento gerit. His adde certissimum illud Grammaticæ post Cadmeam proximæ indicium, voces duobus interpunctis à se invicem disternatas; exceptis (quæ, præfixarum Hebraicarum ritu, cum cognatis sibi verbis & nominibus coalescunt) articulis, conjunctionibus, & præpositionibus. Ut taceam tres voces Κιξαλλεύω, Φοινικήια, Τιμωχέοντες, nunc primum in Græcæ linguae Thesaurum legitimè relatas. Atque horum aliqua quidem criteria in oculos se palam ingerunt. Cætera habe, Lector, ex fide doctissimorum duorum testimoniū, illustrissimi *Wilhelm Sherard*, LL. D. & reverendi *Samuelis Lisle*, S. T. P. Quorum ille A. D. 1709, uterque verò 1716, *Monumenta Teia* viderunt, tractaverunt, exscripsérunt.

Periit Formulæ initium, si modo hîc fuerit initium, duobus prioribus versibus comprehensum. Inde continuos septem aliquatenus restitutos dedi. Inque iis unum illud venerabile opportunè servari contigit; summus tunc temporis Teiorum magistratus, antiquissimâ potestate, tituloque, *Æsymnetes*. Novem qui sequuntur versiculi, pessimè laceri & exesi, pro deploratis sunt habendi. Reliquos triginta quatuor utroque scriptioñis genere, & veteri damus, & recentiori. Cùm verò, auctore Plinio, l. 28. c. 2. & componi carmine solerent, & ad tibiam recitari Diræ; fas est ut Formulam tribuamus, non quidem Anacreonti Teio, qui suavi adeò barbito inclaruit; at alicui ex ejus popularibus, inconditos ad tibiam modos, & rude canticum edocto.

Teia Dirarum Formula.

1. . . ΑΠΟΝΟΣ
2. ΣΤΟΙ: ΕΝΑΤΤΩΙ

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3. ΟΣΤΙΣ:

3. ΟΣΤΙΣ : ΤΗΙΩΝ : Ε.. ΥΝΩΙ
 4. ΗΑΙΣΥ . ΝΗΤΗΙ : ΗΙ : Η
 5. ΕΠΑΝΙΣΤΑΙΤΟ : ΗΔΙ ...
 6. ΧΗΤΑΙ : ΑΠΟΛΛΥΣΘΑΙ : ΚΑΙ
 7. ΑΥΤΟΝ : ΚΑΙΓΕΝΟΣ : ΤΟΚΕΙΝ
 8. Ο : ΟΣΤΙΣ : ΤΟΛΟΙΠΟ : ΑΙΣΥΜ
 9. ΝΩΙ : ΕΝΤΕΩΙ : ΗΓΗΙΤΗΙΤΗ
 10. ΙΗΙ : ΟΣΑΝ : Κ. ΣΑ .. Τ
 11. ΕΝΕΙ : ΑΡΟΝ : ΝΑ ...
 12. ΩΣ : ΠΡΟΔΟ ΤΗ.ΠΟ
 13. Λ ΤΗΝΤΗΙ
 14. ΩΝ : ΗΤΟ.. ΑΝΔΡΑΣ ...
 15. ΗΣΩΙ : ΗΘΑ ΤΟ
 16. ΜΕΤΕ ΕΝ
 17. ΑΡΟ. ΗΙ : ΠΕΡΙΓ
 18. ... ΝΟ : ΠΡΟΔΟ
 19. ΛΛΕΤΟΙ : ΗΚΙΞΑΛΛΑΣ : ΥΠΟ
 20. ΔΕΧΟΙΤΟ : ΗΛΗΙΞΟΙΤΟ : ΗΛ
 21. ΗΙΣΤΑΣ : ΥΠΟΔΕΧΟΙΤΟ : ΕΙ
 22. ΔΩΣ : ΕΚΓΗΣ : ΤΗΣΤΗΙΗΣ ; Η*
 23. ΑΛΑΤΗΣ : ΦΕΡΟΝΤΑΣ : Η***
 24. ΑΚΟΝ : ΒΟΛΕΥΟΙ : ΠΕΡΙΤ**
 25. ΩΝ : ΤΟΞΥΝΟ : ΕΙΔΩΣ : ΗΠ***
 26. ΕΛΛΗΝΑΣ : ΗΠΡΟΣΒΑΡΒΑΡΟ
 27. ΥΣ : ΑΠΟΛΛΥΣΘΑΙ : ΚΑΙΑΤ
 28. ΤΟΝ : ΚΛΙΓΕΝΟΣ : ΤΟΚΕΝΟ:
 29. ΟΙΤΙΝΕΣ : ΤΙΜΟΧΕΟΝΤΕΣ:
 30. ΤΗΝΕΠΑΡΗΝ : ΜΗΠΟΙΗΣΕΑ
 31. Ν : ΕΠΙΔΥΝΑΜΕΙ : ΚΑΘΗΜΕΝ
 32. Ο : ΤΩΓΩΝΟΣ : ΑΝΘΕΣΤΗΡΙΟ
 33. ΙΣΙΝ : ΚΑΙΗΡΑΚΛΙΟΙΣΙΝ:
 34. ΚΑΙΔΙΟΙΣΙΝ : ΕΝΤΗΠΑΡΗ
 35. Ι : ΕΧΕΣΘΑΙ : ΟΣΑΝΤΑΣ*ΤΗΛ
 36. ΑΣ : ΕΝΗΙΣΙΝ : ΗΠΑΡΗ : ΓΕΓΡ
 37. ΑΠΤΑΙ : ΗΚΑΤΑΞΕΙ : ΗΦΟΙΝ
 38. ΙΚΗΙΑ : ΕΚΚΟΦΕ : ΠΗΑΦΑΝΕ
 39. ΑΣ : ΠΟΙΗΣΕΙ : ΚΕΝΟΝ : ΑΠΟΛ
 40. ΛΥΣΘΑΙ : ΚΑΙΑΥΤΟΝ : ΚΑΙΓ
 ΕΝΟΣ
 41. ΟΣΤΙΣ : ΦΑΡΜΑΚΑ : ΔΗΛΗΤΗ
 42. ΡΙΑ : ΠΟΙΟΙ : ΕΠΙΤΗΙΟΙΣΙ
 43. Ν : ΤΟΞΥΝΟΝ : ΗΕΠΙΔΙΩΤΗΙ : Κ
 44. ΕΝΟΝ : ΑΠΟΛΛΥΣΘΑΙ : ΚΑΙΑ
 45. ΥΤΟΝ : ΚΑΙΓΕΝΟΣ : ΤΟΚΕΝΟ:
 46. ΟΣΤΙΣ : ΕΣΓΗΝ : ΤΗΝΤΗΙΗΝ : Κ
 47. ΩΛΥΟΙ : ΣΙΤΟΝ : ΕΣΑΓΕΣΘΑΙ:
 48. ΗΤΕΧΝΗΙ : ΗΜΗΧΑΝΗΙ : ΗΚΑΤ
 49. ΑΘΑΛΑΣΣΑΝ : ΗΚΑΤΗΠΕΙΡΟ
 50. Ν : ΗΕΣΑΧΘΕΝΤΑ : ΑΝΩΘΕΟΙΗ:
 51. ΑΠΟΛΛΥΣΘΑΙ : ΚΑΙΑΥΤΟΝ : Κ
 52. ΑΙΓΕΝΟΣ : ΤΟΕΚΕΙΝΟ.

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3. Ὁσις Τηίων ἐν Συνῷ
 4. ἢ Αἰσυρινήτη, ἢ Κελῆ, ἢ
 5. ἐπανιστό, ἢ διαμά-
 6. χῆσι, αἴπόλλυθαι καὶ
 7. ἀντὸν, καὶ γένος τῇ καίνῃ.
 8. Ὁσις, τῇ λαιπῇ, αἴσυμ-
 9. νῷ ἐν Τεφ, ἢ γῆ τῇ Τη-
 10. ίν : . . . Ὁσ ἀν : κ. σα . . .
 11. ενει : . . . αρογ : να . . .
 12. ας αροδο . . . τὴν πό^τ
 13. λιν . . . τὴν Τηί
 14. αν : ἢ τὰς ἄνδερα . . .
 15. ησω : ἢ θα . . . π
 16. μεῖ εν
 17. αρο . η : αερεγ
 18. . . . αροδο[η], ἢ κιξα-]
 19. λλάσαι, ἢ κιξάλλας ταρ-
 20. δέχοισο, ἢ ληζειο, ἢ
 21. ληιας ταροδέχοισο, ει-
 22. δάει, σὶκ γῆς τῇ Τηίης, ἢ θ
 23. αλατηης, Φέρονης, ἢ τὸ^τ
 24. κακὸν έβαλδοις αὐτὶ Τηί-
 25. αν τῇ Σωπῇ, εἰδάς, ἢ αρδός
 26. Ἐλληνας, ἢ αρές Βαρβάρος,
 27. αἴπόλλυθαι καὶ αὐτὸν, καὶ
 28. γένος τῇ σκένῃ.
 29. Ὁλινες τιμυχέοιες
 30. τιλο ἐπάρδο μὴ τωμόταιαν,
 31. άπτη διωάμη, καθημέ-
 32. ντε τῇ ἀγῶνος, Ἀνθετηε-
 33. οισιν, ἢ Ηεραλίοισιν,
 34. καὶ Διοσιν, ἐν τῇ ἐπάρη
 35. ἔχεος. Ὁσ ἀν τὰς σῆιας,
 36. σὲ ησιν ἢ ἐπάρη γέ-
 37. γεπται, ἢ καζάζη, ἢ Φοινι-
 38. κηια σικόψαι, ἢ αη ἀφανέ-
 39. ας τωισθ, καῖνον διόλ-
 40. λυαρχ, καὶ αὐτὸν, ἢ γ-
 ένος
 41. Ὁσις φάρμακα δηλιή-
 42. ρα τωοῖ, θητὶ Τηίοιον
 43. τὸ ξιωὸν, ἢ ἐπ' ιδιώτη,
 44. κεῖνον αἴπόλλυθαι, ἢ αὐ-
 45. τὸν, ἢ θός τῃ σκένῃ.
 46. Ὁσις εἰς γλὺν τῷ Τηίῳ κα-
 47. λύοι σίρην εσάργεος,
 48. ἢ τέχνη, ἢ μηχανή, ἢ καζαὶ^τ
 49. θάλασσαν, ἢ κατ' ηπειρον,
 50. ἢ ἐσαχθέντε αναθεοίη.
 51. αἴπόλλυθαι ἢ αὐτὸν, καὶ
 52. γένος τῇ σκένῃ.

Quicunque Teiorum in Communi
 aut Εἴγμηται, aut Ιudici, vel
 insurrexit, vel depugn-
 averit, deperdi Σ
 eum, Σ genus ejus.

Quicunque in posterum, Εἴγμη-
 tum in Teo, aut Terra
 Teiā gesserit; — Qui

civitatem
 Teio-
 rum, aut homines

. . . prodiderit; aut furtū
 fecerit, aut fures domo ex-
 ceperit; aut prædatus fuerit, aut
 prædones, sciens, exce-
 perit, ex terrā Teiā, orāve
 maritimā, quid auferentes; aut
 malum consilium de Tei-
 orum Communi, id sciens, seu cum
 Græcis, seu cum Barbaris
 iniverit; deperdi
 Σ enm, Σ genus ejus.

Quicunque, fungentes Timuchorum
 munere, Diras non obnuntiaverint,
 pro potestate, consi-
 dente multitudine, in Festis Anthes-
 teriis, Σ Heracleis,
 Σ Dialibus, Diris
 eos ipsos implicari. Quicunque aut co-
 lumnas diffregerit, in quibus sunt
 scriptæ Diræ; aut literas [ab iis]
 exciderit; aut aliquo modo [columnas]
 evanidas reddiderit; deperdi
 Σ eum, Σ genus ejus.

Quicunque nociva pharmaca
 confecerit, seu Teis
 incommuni, seu privatæ alicui personæ;
 deperdi Σ eum,
 Σ genus ejus.

Quicunque in Terram Teiam impe-
 dixerit frumentum importari,
 aut dolo, aut machinā aliquā;
 sive per mare, sive per continentem;
 aut importatum aliò diverterit;
 deperdi Σ eum, Σ
 genus ejus.

Ad rariora & difficiliora Inscriptionis NOTÆ.

Ψ. 4. Ἀισυμνῆτη, i. e. Αἴσυμνεται. Hinc collige, amice Lector, venerandam Teii Lapidis antiquitatem, in quo magistratus habetur Αἴσυμνεται, quam tanquam priscæ rem ætatis memoravere Aristoteles & Theophrastus, suoque jam tempore desuetam. Ἐπειον δὲ [τέλος μοναρχίας] ἦν ἐν τοῖς αἰρχαίοις Ἑλλήσιν, δε καλέσιν Ἀισυμνήτας. Εἰ δὲ τόδι, ὡς αἰπάντως εἶπεν, αἱρεθή τύραννος . . . ἥγκον δὲ οὐ μὴ διὰ τὸν αἰρχὴν τάντην, οὐ δὲ μέχει τῶν αἰετομίνων χρόνων η τερψέων, i. e. Fuere apud priscos Græcos, alia monarchie specie, ii quos Αἴσυμνetas nuncupant. Eratque, ut plurimum, suffragiis collata bæc Tyrannis. Gerebant eam alii ad vitæ terminum, alii ad præfinita certa tempora, & negotia. Arist. Polit. l. 3. c. 14. Quibus omnino similia ē Theophrasto adduxit Dionys. Halic. Antiq. lib. 5. c. 73. Οἱ δὲ Ἀισυμνῆται καλέσμενοι παρὰ Ἑλλήσιν αἱρετοί, οὐ ἐν τοῖς περὶ βασιλείας ισορροπίοις Θεοφεστοῖς, αἱρετοὶ διανοὶ οἱ τύραννοι. i. e. Qui antiquitus apud Græcos Αἴσυμνetas sunt vocati, ut in libris de regno narrat Theophrastus, Tyranni erant electione creati.

Ψ. 4. 5. Ἀισυμνῆτη — η ἵπανσαστη, η διαμάχηται, i. e. Αἴσυμνeta vel insurrexerit, vel defugnaverit. Quæ hīc habentur de seditione non movendâ, deque arcendis proditoribus, suribus, latronibus, aliisque civitatum pestibus, videntur à Teiis promulgata, statim ac redierant ab Abderis, suorum in Thraciâ coloniâ. Eò enim prosugerant tum Anacreon Poeta, tum alii multi Teii, exuti Teo urbe patriâ, ob infastam illam Histiae & Ionum contra Darium ἵπανσαστη, anno ante Christum 497. vide Herodot. l. 6. Strabonem. lib. 14. & Suidam in vocibus Τέω, Ἀναρχέων. Fors etiam & in his memoria est Tei urbis Temeno, Rhodio duci, proditæ: ut refert Aeneas in Poliorcetico, c. 18.

Ψ. 6. ἀπόλλωθι η αὐτὸν η γένος η κτίνα. Similiter in Magnetum & Smyrnæorum sœdere, ιφιορεντη η ἰξώλεια η αὐτὸν η γένος τῷ ιξιμῷ. Nec non in Atheniensi Dirarum formulâ, quam verè videtur Aristophanes quanquam ridiculus attigisse, Θερμοφ. p. m. 770. κακῶς αἴπολειδαι τῶν αὐτὸν κοινῶν, ἀργόθε.

Ψ. 19. Κιξάλλας. Absque Hesychio esset, & Stobæo, & hoc lapide, periisset Græcae linguae amatoribus vox κιξάλλας. Hesychio verò κιξάλλα, πάσα κανθάρχια. Κιξάλλας (mendosè cum à simplici) φᾶε, de quo Gellius, lib. i. c. 18. Quod Græcis nunc κιξάλλας dicitur, antiquiore Græca lingua φᾶε est dictum: binc per affinitatem literarum, qui φᾶε Græce, Latinè fur est. A Stobæo quoque, Sermone XLII. (quod mihi humanissime indicavit Schultingius Batavorum decus) Democriti Lex hujusmodi servatur. Κιξάλλην ργὴ ληστὴ πάντα πέντε τοις αἴθωσ αὐτὸν, ργὴ αὐτοχειρέα, ργὴ κελεύων, καὶ φέρει, i. e. Kixallam, atque qualecumque prædonem occidens quis sine noxâ esto, seu manu id fecerit, seu iussione, seu suffragio. Cui, quantum ad Kixallam manu occidendum, congruere videtur Solonis Lex apud Demosth. in Timocrate, εἰ δέ τις νῦντις ὄτινος κλέπτοι, τῶν ιξανθανοὺς η ἀπολέντας, atque hinc translata Lex XII. Tab. SEI. NOX. FURTUM. FACTUM. ESIT. SEI. IM. OCCISIT. IOVRE. CAISUS. ESTO. Macrob. Sat. lib. I. c. 4. Cum enim distinguantur in hoc lapide ληστὴ & Κιξάλλας, ac ληστὴ sit fur aperta rapiens, agris præcipue & viis infestus; Κιξάλλας videtur fuisse fur nocturnus, grassator, sicarius, aut qui Normannis nostris Burglarius, Græcis etiam Θυρεπανοίδης, ostiorum & domiciliorum effractor.

Ψ. 22, 23. η θαυματίνες φέρονται, i. e. vel ab ordi maritimâ quid auferentes. Tale est quod, omnibus justè pensatis, tanquam huic loco convenientissimum reposui. Primo scilicet scriptori facile neglige potuit τι geminata litera: exscriptori æquè facilè τιτα. In voce φέρονται exemplum est significationis ab Hesychio allatæ: φέρων, λαμβάνων.

Ψ. 29. Τιμουρχοὶ, Timuchorum fungentes munere. Is apud Teios honos non, ut apud Massilienses, summum magistratum denotavit, sed peculiarem aliquem, annonæ & rebus venalibus præpositum, Αἴδili apud Romanos similem, Græcè etiam αἰοργόν. Nam & Naucratitæ in Ægypto negotiatores à Teo & vicinis urbibus oriundi, eosdem habuere magistratus, Τιμουρχοὶ Athenæo dictos (lib. 4. c. 2.) Herodoto verò προσάτας ιμπορεῖς. i. e. Emporii præfetos. l. 2. c. 168. Hujus verò seu Timuchi, seu αἰοργόν

εργάτης, seu *Ædilis officium*, in elegantissimo apud Gruterum Epigrammate, egregiè depictum accipe. LXXII. 5.

QVI. LARGAE. CERERIS. MESSES. FRVCTVS. QVE. RENATOS
DIGERIT. IN. PRETIVM. CVI. CONSTAT. FAMA. TIDES. QVE
ET. QVI. DIVITIAS. VINCIT. PVDOR. IRE. PER. ILLOS
CONSVETVS. PORTVS. CVRA. STUDIOQVE. LABORIS
LITTORA. QVI. PRAESTANT. FESSIS. TUTTISSIMA. NAVTIS.

Ψ. 31. Θη̄ δωάρη̄, i. e. pro potestate & virili fid̄ Diras obnuntiabunt Magistratus; hoc est, voce quam poterint altâ & clarâ, & à confessu facilè excipiendâ: planè ut ἐν δωάραις αὐτῷ, in famigeratissimâ Justini Martyris sententiâ, à Theologis toties ventilatâ, Apol. 1. Edit. Oxon. p. 151. Ο προετεῖς δῶρα... ἡ δικαιοσια, ὁν δωάραις αὐτῷ, ἀναπέμπει. Ne quid postea ex his verbis contra conceptas publicarum precum formulas suggestur. Rationem verò docet Plinius, vocis altius elevandæ; nimirum quia diras obstrepentes magis nocituras creditum. Vidimus, inquit, certis prectionibus obsecrâss̄ summos magistratus: Et nequid verborum prætereatur, aut præpostorum dicatur, præire aliquem, rursusque... tibicinem canere, nequid aliud exaudiatur: utraque memoria insigni quoties ipse diræ obstrepentes nocuerint, quotiesve preatio erraverit.

Ψ. 32. Ἀγῶν, sensu hic Homericō, ut Il. 2. ψ. 1. Δῦνος Ἀγῶν, i. e. interprete Eustathio, ἀλεξ., σωματών, πλάθος. ut mox in Istrioniorum Psephismate τὸ πλάθος τὸ Τρίων. i. e. Teiorum multitudine.

Ψ. 34. Δαιοι. Notissima fuere Bacchi sesta, Ἀνθεσίσα, Herculis etiam, Ἡρόκλια. At cum ignotis hisce Δαιοι, iisdem fortasse atque Δαιοι, Πλανδαιοι, & Διαστοι, i. e. Dialibus, comparanda sunt parallela duo apud me inedita Monumenta: certamina nempe ΔΕΙΑ ΑΛΕΙΑ in inscriptione Philadelphenâ, & ΔΕΙΑ ΑΔΕΛΦΑ in civitatis ejusdem Nymmo, de quibus in Alphabetico Commentario.

Ψ. 34. Ut servetur in hac formulâ aliqualis numerorum tibialium ratio, habet hic versus ΤΗΠΑΡΗ elisis duabus vocalibus I, E. versus 36^{us} ΗΠΑΡΗ eliso E. versus vero 38^{us} ΕΚΚΟΥΦΕ: ΠΗ. elisis I. H. Notanda etiam KENON & EKENON licentia vulgari pro KEINON & EKEINON. ΠΟΙΗΣΕΑΝ quoque pro ΠΟΙΗΣΕΙΑΝ.

Ψ. 37. Φοινική fiderent literas interpretor; illustrante hunc lapide Historiæ Herodoteæ loco, qui & hinc vicissim illustratur, lib. v. cap. 58. Τῶντος Λαζαρίχεος διδαχῆ παρεψεῖ Φοινίκιαν τὰ γεζματᾶ... ιφάτισαν, μάστη πὲ δικτυοῖς θερε, έσαγαγόντων Φοινίκων οὐ ηὔσίδα, ΦΟΙΝΙΚΗΑ κεκληστα. Ubi vox φοινικία non adjectivè cum interprete Latino, sed substantivè cum nostro lapide reddenda. Scilicet, confessi sunt Iones, literas, prout æquum fuit, ratione Phœnicum eas Græcia inferentium, nomen habuisse ΦΟΙΝΙΚΗΑ. Eandem constructionem firmant & Diodori verba lib. 3. p. m. 140. καὶ τὰ γεζματὰ φοινικὰ κληθῆναι. i. e. vocatas suisse literas vulgariter ΦΟΙΝΙΚΙΑ. & Clem. Alexandrini Strom. 1. Φοινικία τὰ γεζματᾶ Ἡρόδοτος κεκλησθαι γεζματα, literas scribit Herodotus vocatas suisse ΦΟΙΝΙΚΗΑ. Pari constructione apud Hesychium legendum cum distinctione φοινικοῖς, γεζματα, ex Sophocle in Παιμένιον. Item φοινικία, γεζματα.— iterumque φοινικά, Λύδοι εἰ τῶν τὰ γεζματᾶ, i. e. Lydos apud & Ionas vox φοινικα Literas significat. Horum verò nunc damus desideratum haec tenus exemplum, & præsentissimum certè de Literis è Phœnicio adiectis testimonium. Ni si præsentius quis forte dixerit, quod idem doctissimus Lexieographus & ικφοινίξ interpretatus sit αναγνῶσσαι. q. d. Phœnicifare, hoc est legere. Sed & Suidas insuper adeundus in voce γεζματα, quæ, inquit ille, a Phœnicibus inventoribus φοινικα εκλήθησαν. Inscr. Sig. §. xv.

Ψ. 48. μηχανῆ, i. e. machinâ. Apographorum anni 1716 unum habet ΑΗΚΑΝΗΝ, alterum ΑΗΧΑΝΗΝ, alterum anni 1709 ΑΙΧΑΝΗ. Statim igitur arripui amicè mihi monstratam doctissimi Viri emendationem, jubentis reponi ΜΗΧΑΝΗ. Eandem nunc certissime confirmo parallelâ Smyrnæorum formulâ, Marm. Oxon. pag. 12. ἔτε τέχνη, ἔτε μηχανῆ οὐδεμία. Quod etiam Statius Poeta comicus, ex Græco Latinum fecit: Nec quem dolum ad cum, aut machinam commeliar.

VARIA nunc sequuntur Monumenta, quæ quanquam aliorum fuerint, Romanorum putà, Ætolorum, Cretæque Insulæ Civitatum, Teia tamen non impropriè vocentur. Unum enim omnibus negotium, Teiorum in Deum Bacchum pietas laudata, urbique jus Asyli eo nomine concessum. Visum autem incipere à Romanis, quia hi transactæ rei ætatem certissimâ historiæ notâ prodiderunt. Anno nempe, quo Prætor M. Valerius Messala peregrinam sortitus est jurisdictionem, hoc est U. C. 559. ante Christum 193, venere Romam Menippus, Hegeianax, aliisque missi ab Antiocho rege Syriae legati, oraturi de rebus Asiae Europæque, quibus hinc rex, illinc populus Romanus, adversâ æmulâque potestate, inhibabant. È Teii occasione Menippum regiæ legationis principem & suum etiam ad Romanos legatum, facto psephismate, constituerant. Perque eum à Prætore peregrino, tribunisque Plebis, & Senatu, hunc ad modum Teis est respondum. Vide Liv. Hist. lib. 34. cap. 54, 55, 57. Oxon. 1708.

ΡΩΜΑΙΩΝ. *Romanorum.*

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Μάρκος Ὁναλάριος Μάρκος, *Marcus Valerius Marci F. Prae-*
seculigōs, καὶ Δήμαρχοι, καὶ ἡ tor, & Tribuni plebis, & Sena-
Σύνκλητος, Τηίων τῇ βυλῇ, καὶ τῷ *tor, & Tribuni plebis, & Sena-*
δῆμῳ χαίρειν. Μένιππος ὁ τε παῖς *tus R. Concilio Populoque Teio-*
Ἀντιόχειας αποσαλεῖς πρὸς *rum salutem. Menippus missus*
ἡμᾶς πρεσβύτης, περχαιρεμένοις *à Rege Antiocho ad nos legatus,*
καὶ ὑφ' ὧμῶν πρεσβύτους ὑπὲρ τῆς *à vobis etiam ad legationem ur-*
πόλεως, τότε Ψήφισμα ἀνέδω- *bis vestre fungendam electus, &*
καὶ αὐτὸς ἀκολυθῶς τότε δι- *vestrum Psephisma reddidit, &*
ελέχθη, μετὰ πάσοις προθυμίας. *ei consentanea impensiore ipse*
Ἡμεῖς δὲ τὸν τε ἄνδρα ἀπεδεξ- *studio differuit. Nos autem &*
άμεθα φιλοφρόνως, καὶ διὰ τὴν προ- *benignè virum excepimus, tum*
γενενήμην αὐτῷ δόξαν, καὶ διὰ τὴν *ob præviam ejus dignitatem, tum*
παράρχονταν καλοκαγαθίαν, τοῦτο *ob innatam ei bonitatem, eumque,*
τε ὃν ἡξίς διηκόπαμεν εὐνόως. Καὶ *quantum ad ea quæ postulabat,*
ὅτι δι’ ὅλης πλεῖστον λόγον ποιώμε- *benevolè audivimus. Et quod nos*
νοι διατελέμεν τῆς πρὸς τὰς Θεάς *omnimodi perseveramus pietatem*
ἐνσεβείας, μάλισταν της σοχάζο- *erga Deos plurimi semper faci-*
το, ἐκ τῆς συνανθωμένης ἡμῖν ἐν- *entes, facillimè quis conjectura-*
μενείας διὰ ταῦτα σῷζε τὰ δαμ- *verit, ex iis quæ nobis propitia*
μονίς. Όυ μὴν ἀλλὰ καὶ ἐξ ἀλ- *banc ob causam à numine obve-*
λων πλειόνων πεπείσμεθα συμφα- *nuerunt. Quinetiam persuasum ha-*
νῆ πᾶσι γεγονέναι τὴν ἡμετέρου *buimus nostram erga divinum un-*
εἰς τὸ θεῖον περιμίαν. Δι’ ὃ καὶ *men reverentiam & ex aliis mul-*
διὰ τε ταῦτα, καὶ διὰ τὴν πρὸς *titis conspicuam omnibus suisse.*
ἡμᾶς δύνοιαν, καὶ διὰ τὸν ἡξιωμέ- *Quare tum ob hæc ipsa, tum ob*
νον πρεσβύτην, κείνομεν ἔνα τὴν *vestri erga nos benevolentiam,*
πόλιν καὶ τηγ χώρην ιερὸν, καθὼς *tum ob ipsum qui id postulaver-*
καὶ νῦν ἐσιν, καὶ ἀσυλον, καὶ ἀ- *rit legatum, urbem vestram, & re-*
Φορελόγητον ἀπὸ τῆς δῆμος τῆς *gionem, sacram, ut & nunc*
est, decernimus habendam, inspo-
‘Ρομαίων

Ῥωμαίων. Καὶ τά τε εἰς τὸν θεὸν τίμια, καὶ τὰ εἰς ὑμᾶς φιλάνθρωπα πειρασόμεθα συνεπαύξειν, διατηρεῖν ὑμῶν καὶ εἰς τὸ μέλα ταῦτα τὸν πρὸς ὑμᾶς φύνονταν. Ἐρρώθε.

liatam etiam, & ratione Populi Romani à tributo immunem. Porro conabimur adaugere tum honoris erga Deum, tum humanitatis erga vos officia; ita, si & vos etiam in posterum benevolentiam erga nos servatis. Valete.

ΑΙΤΩΛΩΝ. *Aetolorum.*

ACCIPE Decretum, Lector, stantis adhuc magnanimi popelli, Romanorum, quum hæc agerentur, contra Philippum so- cii; mox eorundem cum Antiocho M. hostis. Unde integro, quod sequutum est, quadriennio, nunc bello adverso, nunc pace non æquâ fractus, An. U. C. 563. Romanæ potentiae cessit, & debellatori Manio Acilio triumphi honorem præbuit.

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Στρατηγέοντος ⁽¹⁾ Ἀλεξάνδρου Κα- Prætore ⁽¹⁾ Alexandro Calidonio; λιδονί⁽²⁾, ⁽¹⁾ Παναιτωλικοῦ. Ἐπεὶ Concilio ⁽²⁾ Panætolico. Quando- Τῆιοι πρεσβύτας ἀποσείλαντες quidem Teii; legatos mittentes Py- Πυθαγόρου καὶ Κλείτον τὰν τε ihagoram & Clitum, & necessitu- ὄμικρόταλα καὶ τὰν φιλίαν ἀν- dinem & amicitiam renovaverunt; νεψιτο, καὶ παρεκάλεον τὰς Ἀι- & obtestatis sunt Aetolos, ut urbem τωλάς, ὅπως τὰν τε πόλιν ἀν- ipsorum & regionem sacram esse τῶν, καὶ τὰν χώραν, ἐπιχωρί- concederent, & jure Bacchi in- στωνι ἴεραν εἶμεν, καὶ ἀσυλον τῷ spoliatam: Placere Aetolis eam, Διονύσῳ. Δεδόχθαι τοῖς Ἀιτωλοῖς ποτὶ τὰς Τηίες τὰν φιλίαν καὶ quād erga Teios habent, amicitiam & necessitudinem conservare: ὄμικρόταλα τὰν ὑπάρχεσσαν δια- quin & psephismata prius eis φυλάσσειν, καὶ τὰ Ψαφίσματα facta de quibuscumque humanita- τὰ πρότερον γεγονότα ἀντοῖς πε- tis officiis, lege confirmatum iri: εὶ πάντων τῶν φιλανθρώπων κα- Ratam autem ipsis esse ab Aetolis τάνομα εἶμεν, ἵσταχεν δὲ αὐλοῖς ταχεῖ τῶν Ἀιτωλῶν τὰς τε πό- & urbis, & regionis consecrationem, & jus Assyli; ita, uti le-

λιος καὶ τὰς χώρας τὰν αἰνέωσιν, καὶ αἴσυλάν, καθὼς καὶ ὡς πρεσβεῖαις οἵτιναν. Καὶ μηδένα⁽¹⁾ Ἀιγαίων, μηδὲ τῶν ἐν Ἀιγαίᾳ κατοικεόντων, σύγει τὰς Τηνίας, μηδὲ τὰς ἐν Τέῳ κατοικεόντας, μηδαμόθεν οὔμωμένες· Ἀλλὰ τὰν αὐτοφάλεσαν, καὶ αἴσυλάν εἶμεν αὐτοῖς, τὰ δὲ ἀπὸ Ἀιγαίων, καὶ τῶν ἐν Αιγαίᾳ κατοικεόντων. Εἰ δέ τις καὶ ἄγη ἢ αὐτὰς, ἢ τὰ ἐκ τὰς πόλιος, ἢ χώρας, τὰ μὲν ἐμφανῆ αὐτοφέροισι τὸν⁽²⁾ ἐγδείξαντα περῆς⁽³⁾ συνέδεσι δεῖ τὰς ἐνάρχεις. Τῶν δὲ αὐτοφανέων υποδίκιας εἶμεν τὰς ιδικηκότας, γνωμένας τοῖς Τηνίοις τὰς ἐγδικάζεις, ἢ τὰς λοιπὰς οἰκονομίας, καθὼς καὶ τοῖς⁽⁴⁾ Διονυσιακοῖς τεχνίταις ὁ νόμος τῶν Ἀιγαίων κελεύει. "Οπως δέ καὶ εἰς τὰς νόμους καταχωρεῖται ἡ αἰνέωσις καὶ ἡ αἴσυλα, τὰς κατασαθέντας⁽⁵⁾ νομογεγέφυτας καταχωρεῖται, ἐπεὶ καὶ αἱ νομογεγέφυται γίνωνται, εἰς τὰς νόμους.

gati postulabant. Neminem item *Ætolorum* neve in *Ætolia* habitantium diripere aut *Teios*, aut in *Teo* habitantes, ullâ ex parte impetum facientes: sed ὁ securitatem esse *Teis*, ὁ jus *Asyli*, quantum ad *Ætolos*, ὁ in *Ætolia* habitantes. Siquis verò aut ipsos *Teios*, aut ad urbem regionemve eorum pertinentia diripuerit; manifesta quidem actio recuperato,⁽⁶⁾ deferendo ad⁽⁷⁾ syndros in magistratu semper constitutos; at de non manifestis respondentii qui fecere injuriam, liberè permisſa *Teis* litis intentione, reliquaque juris dispensatione, ita, uti artificibus etiam⁽⁸⁾ *Dionysiacis* *Ætolorum* lex prescribit. Ut autem inter leges etiam locum habeat consecratio *Asyli*; qui constituti sunt legum scribæ, quām primū fient legum scriptiones, inter leges ea reponunt.

Ad decretum Ætolorum notæ.

(1) Στρατηγὸς Ἀλεξανδρὸς Καλιδονίς, i.e. Praeturam agente *Alexandro Calidonio*, quem summu[m] fuisse *Ætolis* Magistratum, ex Polybianâ & Livianâ Historiâ notum. Rectè autem *Καλιδονίς* pro *Alexandri* cognomine haberi, à *Calydone* patriâ urbe ducto, probant & alia principum *Ætolorum* apud *Polybium* cognomina; excerp. *Hist. xvii.* Ἀλεξανδρὸς nempe *Ierios*, Λάμιος Ἀμεσκιώτης, Δαμίνελος Καλυδώνιος, aliique: Eam proinde vocem alio modo in libris editis, alio in decretis *Ætolorum* scriptam, recognosce, Lector.

(2) Παναθηναϊκοῖς. i. e. Concilio *Ætolorum* statutâ die, quod *Panætolicum* vocant, ut cum *Livio* loquamur, lib. 31. c. 29. Idem *Polybio* (Exc. legat. ix.) & Θερμοπολικοῖς, i. e. *Ætolorum* ad *Thermum* habita comitia: non *Pylaietus* ille totius *Græcia* ad Thermopylas conventus: ut *Livio* l. 33. c. 35. *Polybiana* transferre visum. Quem quidem gravissimi Historici Latini lapsum egregie detexit & correxit *Palmerius*, inter notas ad *Polybium*, p. m. 390.

(3) Μηδένα

(3) Μηδία Ἀιωλῶν ἄγειν τὸς Τείας. Neminem Ætolorum Teios ferre agere. Magnum prosector & memorabile potuisse istud ab Ætolis impetrari; qui, ante Romanos rerum arbitros dominosque, latrocinis & hujusmodi sceleribus victum parabant; quorumque lex quedam enorim ita tulit, ἄγειν λάρυγεν Στό λαφύρα, i. e. *spolium de spolio agere*; unde καὶ ἔτεροι τινες πολεμῶσι πέρις αἰτήσεως, ὅτες Ἀιωλῶν φίλοι καὶ σύμμαχοι, μηδὲν ἦτορ ἐξεῖναι Ἀιωλοῖς — — καὶ παρὰ σμφόδρας πολεμέσοι, οὐ χωρεῖν ἄγειν τὸν ἀμφοτικόν. i. e. si quando alii aliqui inter se bellaverint, Ætolorum etiam socii amicique, licere nihilominus Ætolis, apud hos & illos militantibus, utrorumque agros ferre agere. Verba sunt Philippi regis Macedoniae, Ætolis haec in colloquio coram Romano duce exprobrantis; insuper addito, per legatos, tum à seipso, tum à ceteris Græcis, actum fuisse apud Ætolos, de tollendâ tam enormi lege. Ast ab Ætolis strenue responsum, citius eos Ætoliam ab Ætolia, quam hanc ab ipsis legem ablatores. *Polyb. excerpt. Hist. xvii.*

(4) Ἐγδείξαντα. i. e. indicantem, deferentem, quā voce suppleri debere apographi lacunam suadebunt ista Pollucis verba, lib. 8. Ἐνδεξίς δὲ ἡν πρός τὸν ἀρχοντα, ὥμολογον διδικήματος, & κοίσεως, ἀλλὰ τυμεῖας δουλίας. i. e. Delatio fiebat ad magistratum, manifeste, & que negari non poterat, injuria; que nempe non judicatum, sed famam requirebat. Ejusmodi erant omnia quae à juridicis iuris vocantur: οἱ δὲ λεγοῦ (inquit Ilæus orat. 3.) πελέας ἀφανῶν. i. e. probationes verò erant de non manifestis.

(5) Συνέδρευσις τὸς ἐνάρχων. i. e. Synedros in magistratu semper constitutos. Credibile est per hos Synedros intelligi Apoletos, i. e. Ætolorum sanctius concilium, ex dilectis constans viris; de quo Livius lib. 35. cap. 54.

(6) Διονυσιακοῖς τεχνῖταις. i. e. Dionysiacis artificibus, Comœdis nempe & Tragœdis Tibicinibus. Id genus artifices (inquit Gellius, lib. 20. c. 4.) Græci appellantur οἱ πελέας διονυσιακοῖς τεχνῖται. Denominationem enim fortiti à Dionysio Scenicorum inventore, in collegia sub ejus tutelâ sunt cooptati; & mercede pactâ civitatibus ludos scenicos, omnemque eorum apparatum prestiterunt. Horum in hoc decreto mentio, quia Tei primū, mox verò Lebedi habitantes (ut postea, Strabone auctore, notabitur in Ἀπλανίστῳ Psephismate) securitatem ab Ætolis, lege latâ, impetraverant: Lege verò latâ id fieri necessum, quia legi Ætolorum, de spoliis undecunque agendis, contrariabatur.

(7) Νομογράφοις, legum scribas. Ea apud Ætolos, ut & aliquando etiam apud Athenienses, extraordinaria potestas fuit; at non sine summo Reipublicæ periculo exerceri sueta. Ita enim Polybius *Excerp. de virt. & vit. lib. 13.* Ἀιτωλοὶ σικεῖς διακέρδεοι πέρις καυστοπλαν τὸν σικεῖας πολιτείας, εἶδοσι νομογράφους Διοχέμαχον καὶ Σκόπαν — οἱ δὲ τελεταρίοις ηγετεῖν ταῦτα ἐγενέντοντο. i. e. Ætolis ad statum suum innovandum facile propensi legibus scribendis constituerunt Dorimachum & Scopam — qui hæc accepta potestate leges scripserunt. Illatas verò Atheniensibus perniciem, à Nicomacho quodam Nomographo, orator deplorat Lysias; & ex eodem Historicus optimus Ubbo Emmius, in appendice de Republica Atbeniensium.

PRIMO Teis cura devincire sibi Cretæ populos, non tam majestate imperii, quam opportunitate loci, & navigandi experientiâ, & assiduis per mare latrocinis verendos. Cretenses eo tum agebant statu, quæcum felicem adeò prædicaverunt & Strabo & Aristoteles; quot nempe civitates, totidem etiam summa imperia, sub regimine populari, & annuo *Cosmorum* magistratu, libertatem tuentes. Publico igitur nomine alii vetusta renovant cum populo Teiorum fœdera, alii nova paciscuntur; omnes, secundum legatum

torum postulata, & urbem & regionem Teiam sanctam & inviolatam esse jubent. Curiosis autem Antiquitatis investigatoribus speramus omnino gratum atque volupe futurum, quod post mille nongentos & viginti annos nunc primum ex autographis edantur vetustissimorum populorum acta, prudentiae, æquitatis & humanitatis plena; quæ quidem si verâ fide praestitissent, triste adeò opprobrium, & malarum illam bestiarum infamem maculam eluissent. Singulos itaque audiamus, pro consuetâ civitatum formulâ loquentes, *Eleutherneos*, *Istronios*, *Sybritios*, *Saxios*, *Rhaucios*, *Arcadas*, *Cnophios*: quorum hi duo posteriores pñne integri sunt visendi in cœmterio prope *Guzellir*, ceteri verò omnes aut in arce aut in balineo apud *Segagick*; adepti illic opportunum, ubi Teiis olim id concesserant, Asylum. Ne quid dicamus de imperfectis *Polyrrheniorum*, *Cydoniatarum*, *Lappæorum*, *Priansiorum* & *Latiorum* titulis. Cùm verò singula inter se conveniant, eodem ferè tenore & negotio, Monumenta; ideo sequentur conjunctim scriptæ ad Populos Cretenses, & eorundem Decreta, *Notæ*.

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ΕΛΕΥΘΕΡΝΑΙΩΝ. *Eleutherneorum.*

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Ἐπειδὴ Τίοι, φίλοι καὶ συγβέ-
νεῖς διὰ περγάρων ἵσταρχούλες,
ψάφισμά τε καὶ πρεσβύτας ἀ-
πέσαλκαν τὸς πατρὸς ἀμὲν Ἀπολλό-
δολόν τε ἐκ Κολώταν· οἱ τίνες ἐπελθόν-
τες ὅππι τὰν ἐπιχλωσίαν, τὰν φιλίαν
καὶ τὰν συγγένειαν ἀναθεν ἵσταρ-
χόσας ποτὲ αὐτὸς καὶ τὸ ἄλλα
διελέγησαν ἐνδόξως, περὶ
τε τῷ Θεῷ καὶ τᾶς καθιερώσεως τᾶς
πόλεως καὶ τᾶς χώρας αἰκονοθήσ
ἀπολογίσαντες τοῖς ἐν τῷ Ψαφίο-
μαλι καλακεχωεισμύροις, τὰν τε φι-
λίαν καὶ τὰν ἔννοιαν διαφυλάσσειν,
καὶ τίνος ἀγαθῶπαρεστίσσεις γίνεσθαι,
καὶ τὰ γεγραμμένα ὅππι πλέον συν-
αἴξειν· Όμοιώς δὲ παρεγκάλεσε καὶ
Ἀγίστανδρος Ἐυκρεσθός· Ρόδις, ὁ
παρεχτῆ βασιλέως Ἀντιόχῳ πρεσ-
βύτας ὅππι τὰς πολέμων [νῦν] δι-
αλύσεις ἀποσαλεῖς, οὐδὲν ἐμλέπων
απεδάσ καὶ φιλοτίμιας κατ' οὐθένα
τερέπον· ὥστα τοις δὲ καὶ Περδίκ-
κας ὁ τοῦτο τῷ βασιλέως Φιλίπ-
πῳ πεμφθεὶς· Δεδόχθαι τοῖς Κόσ-

Quandoquidem Teii, jam inde à
majoribus amici & cognati nostri,
& psephisma ad nos miserunt,
legatosque Apollodotum & Colo-
tam: Qui accedentes ad concio-
nem de pristinâ erga ipsos amici-
tiâ & cognitione verba honorificè
fecerunt; de Deo etiam, deque
consecratione urbis, & regionis,
secundum ea quæ in psephismate
continentur, ad nos retulerunt;
rogatos & amicitiam & benevo-
lentiam conservare; quin &
aliquis boni auctores ipsis fieri;
& ea quæ recitata sunt beneficia
ulterius adaugere: Similiterque
deprecatus est Hegesander Eu-
cratensis Rhodius, legatus à Rege
Antiocho de bello nunc dirimendo
missus, nihil omnino curæ studii-
que ullo modo prætermittens:
Eodemque modo & Perdiccas
à Rege Philippo ablegatus: Pla-
cere itaque Cosmis & civitati
Eleutherneorum Teiiς tanquam

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μίοις καὶ ταῖς πόλεις τῶν Ελβετῶν· amicis sociisque respondere; quod
ων διπολεῖναδε Τηίοις φίλοις καὶ omnia ad Dionysum spectantia
οἰκεῖοις θυσιν, διότι τά τε ἡδεῖ τὸν Θεόν εἴαμεν, πο-
Διόνυσον καὶ αὐτοὶ σεβόμεθα, καὶ pulumque vestrum imperitā fa-
τὸν ὑμῶν δάμον ἀσπαζόμεθά τε lute collaudamus, eò quod pul-
κηπαινέομεν, διότι καλῶς καὶ iερ- chre, proque honore religionis,
πρεπώς καὶ καλαζίως τῷ Θεῷ διεξά- proque Dei dignitate hæc trans-
γούλες τοῦ, καὶ μόνον καθὼς ἔδει τῶν egerint, non solum prout à majo-
περγύνων παξέλασον διαφυλάσ- ribus accepere conservantes, sed
σούλες, ἀλλὰ καὶ πολλῷ μᾶλλον οὐλο magis adaugentes. Quam-
περσαύξοντες. "Ἐνεκεν ὁν καὶ πατέ- obrem Θεόν à nobis omnia veneran-
αμέων τὰ σεμνὰ καὶ τίμια δίδοντες" θεόν τοιis honorifica Deo Θεοῖς
τῷ Θεῷ καὶ Τηίοις, καὶ τάντε πό- sunt concessa, urbemque ipsorum
λιν αὐτῶν καὶ τάντα χώραν iεράν
καὶ ἀσυλον διπολεῖνυμεν, καὶ πε- Θεον regionem sanctam Θεον inviola-
ργόμεθα συναύξειν.

II.

ΙΣΤΡΩΝΙΩΝ. *Istroniorum.*

ΕΔΟΞΕΝΙΣΤΡΩΝΙΩΝΤΟΙΣΚΟΣΜΟΙΣΚΑΙΤΑΙΠΟΛΕΙΕΠΕΙ
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ΜΩΙ

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ΑΔΟΣΤΟΥΣΓΡΑΜΜΑΤΕΑΣΤΑΣΠΟΛΙΟΣ.

"Ἐδοξεν Ἰσχωνίων τοῖς Κόσμοις, καὶ Placuit Cosmis & Civitati Istro-
τᾶ πόλει. Ἐπειδὴ Τήιοι φίλοι καὶ niorum. Quandoquidem Teii
συγγενεῖς ὑπάρχοντες διὰ περγά- amici nostri, & civitati jam
νων τὰ πόλει ψάφισμα καὶ πρεσ- olim per majores cognati, pse-
βούτας απέσαλκαν Ἀπολλόδοτον phisma miserunt, & legatos,
καὶ Κολώταν. "Οι ἐπελθόντες ἐ- Apollodotum & Colotam: Qui
πὶ τὸ κοινὸν τὸ Ἰσχωνίων τό τε ad commune Istroniorum veni-
ψάφισμα απέδωκαν, καὶ αὐτὸι entes & psephisma reddiderunt,
διελέγοντες ἀκολυθῶς τοῖς γεγενμ- ipsique secundum ea quae scri-
μένοις, τὰν ἔλενεσάταν περιβάν pta erant differuere, impensis-
η φιλολημίαν ποιέρμοι τῷ τά mā curā studioque contenden-
χμέας τὰν καθίερωσιν τῷ Διονύσῳ tes, de permittendā tum urbis,
τὰς τε πόλιθ, καὶ τὰς χώρας tum regionis Teiorum, Deo Bac-
τὰς Τηιωι, καὶ τὰν ἀσυλίαν ἔτι cho consecratione, & jure Asy-
δὲ καὶ τὸ ἄλλα τὰ ὑπάρχοντα αὐ- li; utque nos etiam, respectu
τοῖς

τοῖς ἔνδοξα καὶ τίμια διὰ τὸν Θεόν ψαφισαμένος καὶ αὐτὸς σωματίου, καὶ τῷ ἀγαθῷ παρατίσσε γίνεσθαι δάμῳ, ὡς ὅτι ταῦτα ποντικὲς ἀπόλυτα πρεξίουμενοι τῷ τε πορτὶ Θῶν θύσεσσιν, ὡς τὰ μέγιστα χαριζόμεθα τῷ δάμῳ. Περὶ δὲ τῶν αὐτῶν διαλεγέντος μὲν πάσας απόδεσης πρεσβυτηρίας ἢ τῆς Τηνίου πολίτης, καὶ Σασιλέως φιλίππης πρεσβύτερος Περδίκκης· Ἀποκείνεσθαι δάμῳ τῷ Τηνίῳ ὅτι πρέτιεν τε αἱ πόλις διακεκρίμενη φιλικῶς καὶ δινόμως πορτὶ τὸ πλάθον τὸ Τηνίου, ἐν τε τοῖς ἴωεράνω χρέοντος, οὐδὲν ἀπέσατῶν συμφερόντων, καὶ νῦν δὲ, καθότι αἰδακαλεῖ ὁ δάμῳ ὁ Τηνίων καὶ Περδίκκης ὁ πολίτης αὐτῶν. Πρεσβυτηροὶ δὲν ἐμπάσιν διχαριστοῦν, καὶ μεριμνήροι τὰς πρεπαρχόσας τὰς πόλεσι συγγενείας, τάν τε καθίζωσιν τῷ Διονύσῳ τὰς τε πόλιν καὶ τὰς χώρας ὑμῶν, ἔτι δὲ ιεροὺν καὶ ἀσυλον εἶναι (βελόμενοι χαρίζεσθαι Περδίκκη) δίδομεν. Καὶ τὰ λοιπὰ τὰ ἴωεράνων ἔνδοξα καὶ τίμια συδιαφυλαξίομεθα ἀπέοφασίσως, ἐφ' ὅσον καὶ ἐωμὴ διωτοῖ. Εἰ δέ τινες καὶ τῶν οἴρων μερίων ἐξ Ισεών τοις αἰδικήσωντι τινα Τηνίου η κοινὴ η ιδίᾳ, αἰδάτῳ γεαφὲν δόγμα τὰς αἰσυλίας τῶν τε πόλιος

ad Deum habito, decreto factō adaugeremus quæcunque alia apud ipsos ad ejus gloriam & honorem spectant; & bonæ alicuius rei auctores effemus populo; quodque hæc facientes tum congruenter agemus nostræ erga divinum numen pietati, tum populo maximopere gratificabimur: Deque iisdem etiam verba faciente, omni cum studio & promptitudine, Perdiccâ, cive Teio, & regis Philippi legato: Respondere populo Teiorum, quid nostra jamdudum civitas erga Teiorum multitudinem amanter & benevolè disposita, neque tempore superiore defuit, neque nunc deerit, si quæ eorum commoda promovere poterit, quemadmodum populus Teiorum & eorum civis Perdiccas obtestatur. Volentes igitur gratiosos nos in omnibus præbere, memoresque ejus quæ inter civitates intercessit cognationis, consecrari Baccho tum urbem tum regionem vestram, & sacram porro haberi & inviolatam (Perdiccae gratificari cupientes) concedimus. Et quæcunque alia apud vos gloria & honorifica habentur, omni remoto praetextu, conservabimus, quantumcumque nobis fuerit possibile. Si autem aliqui solvenium ex Istrone, aut publicè aut privatim Teiorum alicui injuriatis

τὰς Ἰσχωνίων, ἐξέσω τῷ ὀργαγε-
νοφύῳ Τηίων ἐπιλαβέας καὶ τῶν
σωμάτων καὶ χειρίστων, εἴ τις καὶ
ἄγη. 'Οι δὲ Κόσμοι οἱ τὸ καὶ αἱ
κοσμήσις ἐπαναγκαζόντων ἀποδί-
δόρηρι τὰς ἔχοντας, αἰζημοις ὄν-
τες, καὶ ἀνυπόδικοι. Ἀναγεφέ-
ψαι δὲ καὶ τὸ δόγμα εἰς τὸ
ἰερὸν τὸ τὰς Ἀθανᾶς τὰς Πο-
λιάδῃ τὰς γεραμματέας τὰς
πόλιν.

am intulerint, contra decretum de
Asyli jure ab Istroniorum civitate
scriptum, licebit Teiorum ali-
cui hic venienti in personas manus
injicere & in pecunias, si quis agat
feratque. Cosimi autem, qui eā in
perpetuum auctoritate fuerint,
possessores ablata reddere cogunto,
neque damno, neque quæstioni ob-
idobnoxii. Inscrubunt etiam hoc
decretem in Templo Minervæ Po-
liadis scribæ civitatis.

III.

ΣΥΒΡΙΤΙΩΝ. *Sybritiorum.*

ΣΥΒΡΙΤΙΩΝ ΑΠΟΛΙΣΚΑΙΟ ΙΚΟΣΜΟΙ ΘΗΙΩΝΤΑΙ ΒΟΥΛΑΙΚΑΙΤΩΙ
ΔΑΜΩΙΧΑΙΡΕΙΝ ΠΑΡΑΓΕΝΟΜΕΝΟ ΣΟΠΕΡΔΙΚΚΑΣ ΟΠΑΡΑΒΑΣΙ
ΛΕΩΣΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ ΠΡΕΣΒΕΥΤΑΣ ΤΟΤΕ ΦΑΦΙΣΜΑ ΑΠΕΔΩΚΕΝ
ΟΕΦΕΡΟΝΟΙ ΠΑΡΥΜΩΝ ΠΡΕΣΒΕΥΤΑ ΙΠΕΡΙΤΑΣΤΟΙΚΕΙΟΤΑ
ΤΟΣΚΑΙΤΑΣΦΙΛΙΑΣΚΑΙΟΤΙΚΑ ΔΩΣΚΑΙ ΠΟΙΗΣΑΜΕΝ ΠΡΟΣ
ΔΕΞΑΜΕΝΟΙ ΤΑΝΤΕΑΝΙΕΡΩΣ ΙΝΤΩΙΔΙΟΝΤΣΩΙΚΑΙΤΩΙ..

Deest pars media Epistolæ, decreto quod præcessit Istroniorum,
ut ex reliquis conjecturare licet, planè compar.

ΠΑΝΤΑ ΕΙΔΕΤΙΝΕΣΤΩΝ ΝΟΡΜΩΜΕΝΩΝ ΕΞΥΒΡΙΤΙΑΣ ΑΔΙ
ΚΗΣΩΣ ΙΝΤΙΝΑ ΘΗΙΩΝ ΗΤΩΝ ΝΠΑΡΟΙΚΩΝ ΗΚΟΙΝΑΙ ΙΔΙΑ ΠΑ
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ΜΑΤΩΝ ΚΑΙ ΧΡΗΜΑΤΩΝ ΝΕΙΤΙΣΚΑ ΑΓΗΙΟΙ ΔΕΚΟΣΜΟΙ ΟΙΤΟΚΑ
ΑΕΙΚΟΣΜΕΟΝ ΤΕ ΣΕ ΠΑΝΑΓΚΑΞ ΟΝΤΩΝ ΑΠΟΔΙΟ
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ΚΟΙ ΠΑΣΑΣ ΣΑΜΙΑΣ ΕΥΤΤΥΧΕΙΤΕ.

Συβερτίων οἱ πόλις καὶ οἱ Κόσμοι Τηίων τὰ βελᾶ καὶ τῷ δάμῳ χαιρεῖν. Παραγενόμενός ὁ Περδίκκας, ὁ ἀρχὴ βασιλέως Φιλίππου πρεσβύτερος, τὸ τε ψάφισμα αἰτίδωκεν ὃ ἔφερεν οἱ παῖς υἱῶν πρεσβύτεροι τῷ ταῖς τοῖς οἰκεοταῖς καὶ ταῖς φιλίαις, καὶ ὅτι καλῶς καὶ ποιόταρδος πρεσβεξάρδοις τάν τε ἀνιέρωσιν τῷ Διονύσῳ, καὶ τῷ * * * * * πάντᾳ. Εἰ δὲ τίνες τῶν ὄχμαρδών εἶνες Συβερτίας [ἢ Συβερτίας] αἰδικήσωσιν τινὰ Τηίων, ή τῶν παρεικῶν, ή κοινᾶ ή ἴδια, ἀρχὴ τὸ γεροφὲν δόγμα τῷ ταῖς αὐτοῖς ταῖς πόλεως τῶν Συβερτίων, εἴτε τῷ πραγματεύομέν θω διοδιδόμενος ἐπαναγκαζόντων διποδίδομέν τοῖς ἔχοντας, αἰχμίοις ὅπλεσ, καὶ ἀνυπόδικοις πάσας ζαμίας. Ευτυχῆτε.

Sybritionum civitas Cosmique Teiorum concilio & populo salutem. Perveniens huc Perdiccas, Philippus regis legatus, & psephisma reddidit quod attulere vestri ad nos legati, deque necessitudine differuit & amicitia, quodque bene nos fecimus accepta Deo Baccho consecratione, quodque, &c. * * * * * * * * * omnia. Si qui verò solventes ex Sybritione injuriam ficerint aliqui Teiorum, aut eorum qui Tei habitant, idque aut communiter aut privatim, contra conscriptum de Asyli jure à Sybritionum civitate decretum, licebit ei quicunque Teiorum aut Tei habitantium huc advenerit, & in personas manus injicere & in pecunias, si quis agat feratque. Cosmi autem, omni in posterum aeo Cosmatum gerentes, possessores ea reddere cogunto, sine noxâ, & ab omni de noxâ questione immunes. Bene valete.

IV.

• ΛΑΞΙΩΝ. *Saxiorum.*

ΕΔΟΞΕΝ ΣΑΞΙΩΝΤΟ ΙΣΚΟΣΜΙΟΙΣ ΚΑΙ ΑΠΟΛΕΙΨΑΦΙΣ ΑΜΕΝΟΙΣ
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ΓΕΝΕΙΣ ΥΠΑΡΧΟΝΤΕΣ ΤΑ ΣΑΜΑΣ ΠΟΛΕΩΣ ΑΠΕΣ
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ΑΠΟΔΟΝΤΕΣ ΔΙΕΛΕΓΕΝ ΜΕΤΑ ΠΑΣΑΣ ΣΠΟΥΔΑΣ
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 ΟΝΕΡΡΩΣΘΕ.

*Ἐδοξεν Σαξίων τοῖς Κοσμίοις καὶ Placuit Cosmiis & civitati Sax-
 τῷ πόλει ψαφισαρθροῖς καὶ πόλει ψαφισαρθροῖς καὶ secundum legem
 τὸν νόμον. Ἐπειδὴ Τίοι, διὰ factō. Quandoquidem Teii, jam
 πρεγόνων φίλοι καὶ συγγένεις olim per majores amici & cog-
 ωνάρχοντες τὰς αἱμᾶς πόλεως, nati civitatis nostræ, misere pse-
 απέτειλαν ψάφισμα καὶ πρει-
 ρψήντας Ἀπολλόδοτον καὶ Κολώ-
 θενταρίαν. Οἱ καὶ παρελθόντες ἐπὶ τὰν
 ἐπικλητίαν, καὶ τὸ ψάφισμα ἀ-
 ποδόντες, διελέγεν μέλα πάσας
 ωκεῖδας καὶ φιλοίμιας ωὲς τῷ
 γενέας τὰν καθίερωσιν τῷ Διο-
 νύσῳ τὰς τε πόλεως αὐτῶν καὶ
 τὰς χώρας, καὶ τὰν αἰσυλίαν,
 τὰ τε ἄλλα τὰ ωνάρχοντα αὐ-
 τοῖς ἔνδοξα καὶ τίμια διάδειν,
 καὶ συνεπαύξειν, εἰς τὸν αἰεὶ χερ-
 νον. Υπὲρ δὲ τῶν αὐτῶν δια-
 placuit Cosmiis & civitati Sax-
 iorum, decreto secundum legem
 factō. Quandoquidem Teii, jam
 olim per majores amici & cog-
 nati civitatis nostræ, misere pse-
 ρψήντας Ἀπολλόδοτον &
 Colotam: Qui in concionem
 introductory psephisma reddidere;
 deque facienda urbis & regionis
 Deo Baccho consecratione omni
 curâ atque studio differuere;
 utque jus Asyli aliaque apud
 eos gloriofa & honorifica tan-
 quam grata acciperemus, &
 adangeremus in omne ævum:
 deque iisdem differente & Per-
 diccâ, legato à rege Philippo:
 Placere Cosmiis & civitati Sax-
 λέγοντος*

λέγοντος καὶ Περδίκκα τῷ αὐχένι τῷ
Βασιλέως Φιλίππω πρεσβύτερον. Δε-
δόχθαι Σωξίων (sic) τοῖς Κοσ-
μίοις καὶ τῷ πόλει ἐπαινέσται μὲν τὰς
πρεσβύτερον, διότι καλῶς καὶ συμφε-
ρόντις διελέγενται τὰς οἰκειότατος
τὰς ισταρέχστας αὐτοῖς πορτάμε,
καὶ τῶν λοιπῶν ἀνδρῶν καὶ τιμίων·
Ἀποκείνας δὲ ὅτι ὁ δῆμος Σω-
ξίων διαφυλάσσων τὰν πορτὴν τὸ θεῖ-
ον βύστειαν, καὶ τῷ πόλει τῶν Τηίων
βύχαρεσσιν βωλόμην, τάντα κα-
θίζωσιν τῷ Διονύσῳ τὰς τε πόλεως
τῶν Τηίων καὶ τὰς χώρας ἀναδείκ-
νουσί, καὶ παρδέχεται ιερὸν καὶ ἀσυ-
λον, καθότι αὐτοκαλεῖ ὁ δῆμος ὁ
Τηίων. Υπάρχει δὲ καὶ τὰ ἄλλα
τίμια Τηίων παρὰ τῷ πόλει τῶν
Σωξίων, νῦν τε, καὶ εἰς τὸν αἰεὶ χερ-
νον. "Ἐρρωθε.

V.

ΡΑΥΚΙΩΝ. *Rhauciorum.*

ΕΔΟΞΕΝ ΡΑΥΚΙΩΝΤΟΙΣ ΚΟΣΜΙΟΙΣ ΚΑΙ ΤΑΙΠΟΛΕΙ
ΕΠΕΙΔΗ ΠΑΡΑΓΕΝΟΜΕΝΟΙ ΠΡΕΙΓΕΥΤΑΙ ΠΑΡΑΤΩ
ΔΑΜΩΤΩ ΤΗΙΩΝ ΠΟΡΤΙ_{ΡΑΥΚΙΩΝΤΑΝ}
ΠΟΛΙΝΑΠΟΛΛΟΔΟΤΟΣ ΑΣΤΥΑΝΑΚΤΟΣ ΚΟΛΩΤ
ΑΣΕΚΑΤΩΝΥΜΟΥ ΙΕΠΕΛΘΟΝΤΕΣ ΕΠΙ
ΤΑΝΕΚΚΛΗΣΙΑ ΝΕΦΑΝΙΣΑΝΤΕ ΟΙΚΕΙΟΤΑ
ΤΑΤΑΝΥΠΑΡΧΟΥΣ ΑΝΡΑΥΚΙΟΙΣ ΠΟΘΑΥΤΟΥΣ
ΚΑΙ ΠΕΡΙΤΑΣ ΑΣΥΛΙΑΣ ΤΑΣ ΤΕ ΠΟΛΕΩΣ ΚΑΙ
ΤΑΣ ΧΩΡΑΣ ΠΑΡΕΚΑΛΕΣΑΝΤ ΕΙΔΕΚΑΙ
ΤΩ ΠΑΡΑΝΤΙΟΧΩΤΩ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΡΕΙ
ΓΕΥΤΑΑΓΗΣΑΝ ΔΡΩ ΠΑΡΑΚΑΛΕΣΑΝΤ ΟΣΜΕΤΑ.....
ΣΠΟΥΔΑΣ

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ΣΠΟΥΔΑΣΚΑΙΦΙΛΟΤΙΜΙΑΣΟΜΟΙΩΣΔΕΚΑΙΤΩΝΠΑΡΑΤΗΙΩΝ
 ΠΡΕΙΓΕΥΤΑΝΕΜΦΑΝΙΣΑΝΤΩΝ : : : :
 ΤΑΝΑΥΤΩΝΕΥΝΟΙΑΝΚΑΙΠΡΟΘΥΜΙΑΝΔΕΔΟΧ
 ΘΑΙΡΑΥΚΙΩΝΤΟΙΣΚΟΣΜΙΟΙΣΚΑΙΤΑΙΠΟ
 ΛΕΙΑΠΟΚΡΙΝΑΣΘΑΙ^{ΓΗΙΟΙΣΟΤΙΚΑΦΙΕΡΩΣΙΑΣΤΩΙΔΙΟΝΤ}
 ΣΩΙΤΑΣΤΑΣΠΟΛΕΩΣΚΑΙΤΑΣΧΩΡΑΣΑΥΤΩΝΤΑΝΤΕΑΣΥΛΙΑΝ
 ΚΑΙΤΑΑΛΛΑΕΝΔΟΞΑΚΑΙΤΙΜΙΑ^{ΠΑΡΔΕΧΟΜΕΘΑ}
 ΝΥΝΤΕΚΑΙΤΟΝΑΛΛΟΝΧΡΟΝΟΝΠΑΝΤΑ.

"Ἐδοξεν Ῥωκίων τοῖς Κοσμίοις, *Placuit Cosmiis & Civitati Rhau-*
 καὶ τῷ πόλει. Ἐπειδὴ ἀδυχρό-*ciorum. Quandoquidem huc per-*
 μηνος πρεγγόλαι τῷ τῷ δάμῳ
 τῷ Τήιων πορτὶ Ῥωκίων τὰν πό-*venere missi à Teiorum populo*
 λιν, Ἀπολλόδολος Ἀσυάναθος Κο-*ad civitatem Rhauiorum legati,*
 λώτας Ἐκαλωνύμος, ἐπελθόντες ἐ-*Apollodotus F. Aftyanaethis & Co-*
 πὶ τὰν ἐκκλησίαν ἐφάνισάν τε οι-*lotes F. Hecatonymi, inque conci-*
 κείστατα τὰν ἵσταχταν Ῥωκί-*onem introduxi perspicuam fece-*
 οις ποθ' αὐτὸς, καὶ τὰς ἀσυ-*re eam quam erga ipsos Rhauii*
 λίας τὰς τε πόλεως καὶ τὰς χώρας
 παρεκάλεσαν. "Ἐπι δὲ καὶ τῷ
 πατέρι Αὐλιόχῳ Βασιλέως πρεγγό-*habent necessitudinem; quinetiam*
 τῷ Ἀγησάνδρῳ παρεκαλέσαντος
 μὲν [πάτερ] ἀπεδᾶς καὶ φιλό-*de jure Asyli, quo munita esset &*
 μίας. 'Ομοίως δὲ καὶ τῶν παρεῖ-*urbs & regio, postulavere: Porro*
 Τήιων πρεγγόλαι ἐμφανισάντων
 τὰν αὐτῶν ἔνοισαν καὶ περθυμίαν.*& Hegerandro missi à rege Antiocho legato omni cura atque studio*
 Δεδόχθαι Ῥωκίων τοῖς Κοσμίοις
 καὶ τῷ πόλει διποκέναδς [Τήιοις,*idem postulante: Similiter & Teiorum legatis benevolentiam eorum*
 ὅτι καθιερώσιας τῷ Διονύσῳ τὰς
 τὰς πόλεως καὶ τὰς χώρας αὐ-*& promptitudinem demonstranibus: Placere Cosmiis & civitati Rhauiorum respondere Teiis, quid*
 τῶν, τὰν τε ἀσυλίαν, καὶ τὰ
 ἄλλα ἔνδοξα καὶ τίμια [παρεδε-*urbis & regionis eorum factas*
 χόμεθα] νῦν τε, καὶ τὸν ἄλλον
 χρέον πάντα.

VI.

ΤΑΦΙΣΘΗΕΠΙΔΑΜΙΟΘΕΤΟΥΦΙΛΩΝΟΣΜΗΝΟΣΑΡΤΑ
ΜΙΤΙΟΥΝΕΥΜΗΝΙΑΙ.

ΑΡΚΑΔΩΝ. *Arcadum.*

ΕΔΟΞΕΝΑΡΚΑΔΩΝΤΟΙΣΚΟΣΜΟΙΣΚΑΙΤΑΙΠΟΛΕΙΕΠΕΙ
ΔΗΤΗΙΟΙΦΙΛΟΙΚΑΙΣΥΓΓΕΝΕΙΣΚΑΙΕΥΝΟΙΥΠΑΡΧΟΝΤΕΣ
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ΟΝΤΣΙΟΥΟΙΚΑΙΕΠΕΛΘΟΝΤΕΣΕΠΙΤΟΚΟΙΝΟΝΤΩΝΑΡ
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ΓΕΝΜΕΤΑΠΟΛΑΣΣΠΟΥΔΑΣΚΑΙΦΙΛΟΤΙΜΙΑΣΕΜΦΑΝΙ
ΣΩΝΤΕΣΤΑΝΕΥΝΟΙΑΝΤΟΥΔΑΜΟΥΑΝΕΧΕΙΠΡΟΣΑΡ
ΚΑΔΑΣΚΑΙΤΟΥΣΛ. ΙΠΟΥΣΚ....ΤΑΝΤΕΕΥΣΕ
ΒΕΙΑΝ.... defunt versiculi septendecim.

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ΜΕΝΕΚΛΗΝΔΙΟΝΥΣΙΩΡΟΞΕΝΟΣΤΑΣΠΟΛΕΩΣΑΜΩΝΕΡΡΩΣΘΕ.

Ψαφίδη

νόσῳ, καὶ πολεμέων ὑπὸ, οὐ καὶ γὰν οὐ καὶ θάλασσαν, βοηθόσημῷ ὑπὸ, καθότι ἀντί εἰσιν δικατοῖ. Ἐναἱ δὲ καὶ τὰ φιλάνθρωπα Τηίοις πάρεσται. Αρχαῖοι πάντα ὅσα καὶ Αρχαῖοι εἴσιν. Ἐπιμέσομέν δὲ καὶ τὸ πρεσβύτερον Ἡέρδολον καὶ Μενέκλεα Πᾶν τῷ αὐτοῦ στόματι καὶ τὰς παλείων ἐπεννωσ, καὶ τὰν παρεπιδιδυίαν πεποιησδεῖσις αἰμφοτέρων τὰς πόλεως. Δοθῆμέν τε αὐτοῖς καὶ ξένια τὰ ἐπὶ τῷ νόμῳ. Ἐναἱ θ' Ἡέρδολον Μηνοδότῳ καὶ Μενέκλεῳ Διενυσίῳ προσέξενος τὰς πόλεως αἴρων. Ερρώθε.

refecraverint, vobisque bellum intulerint, sive à terrâ sive à mari; auxiliabimur vobis totis nostris viribus. Sunt autem Teiis apud Arcadas officia humanitatis omnina, quæcunque & ipsis sunt Arcadibus. Collaudabimus verò legatos Herodotum Meneclemque, eò quod patriæ suæ causæ intentè adeo studuerint, inque honorem utrorumque civitatis peregrinationem fecerint. Ipsi etiam & laitia ex lege dentur. Sintque Herodotus F. Menodoti & Menecles F. Dionysii urbis nostræ hospites. Valete.

VII.

ΚΝΩΣΙΩΝ. *Cnosiorum.*

ΕΔΟΞΕΚΝΩΣΙΩΝΤΟΙΣΚΟΣΜΙΟΣΚΑΙΤΑΙΠΟΛΕΙΕΠΕΙ
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ΑΝΑΣΤΡΟΦΑΣΕΥΤΑΞΙΑΝ..ΤΕΔΕΙΣΑΝΤΟΑΛΛΑΚΑΙΕΠΕ
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ΤΟΣ..ΟΥΤΟΣΤΩΝΑΝΔΡΩΝΔΕΔΟΧΘΑΙΕΠΑΙΝΕΣΑΙ
ΤΑΝΤ. ΤΗΙΩΝΠΟΛΙΝΕΠΙΤΩΤΟΙΟΥΤΟΣΑΝΔΡΑΣ
ΠΕΜΦΑΣΘΑ.ΟΜΟΙΩΣΔΕΤΟΣΠΡΕΣΒΕΥΤΑΣΗΡΟΔΟΤΟΝ
ΚΑΙΜΕΝΕΚΑΗΝΟΤΙΚΑΛΩΣΚΑΙΕΥΤΑΚΤΩΣΕΝΔΕΔΑ**
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Ἐδοξεὶ Κυωσίων τοῖς Κόσμοις καὶ Placuit Cosiniis & civitati Cnōtā πόλει. Ἐπειδὴ Ἡρόδοτος siorum. Quandoquidem Herodotus τοῦ Μενέκλη Διονυσίων datus F. Menodoti & Meneclē διποσαλθέντες πρεσβύτεραι πάρει τὰς ἐν Κενταρί πόλεις, καὶ διατείχαντες τὸν πλεῖστον χερόν τὸν τὰ διμῶν πόλεις, & solum eā quae in conversatione μόνον τὰν διποσαλθέντες πρεσβύτεραι πάρει τὰς ἀναστοφᾶς est modestia conspicui pariter διτείχειν αὐτεῖχαντο, ἀλλὰ καὶ fuere, sed & Meneclē περέπειχαντο Μενέκλης μὲν κιθάρες sape citbarā ediderit quedam πλεονάκις τὰ τε Τιμοθέων καὶ Πολυιδών, καὶ τῶν διμῶν αἰχαίων ποιητῶν, καθὼς πρεσβύτεραι αὐτοὶ πεπαιδεύμενοι. Ὅπως ἀντίστοιτο τὸν πόλιν, καὶ τὸν τοιούτῳ τῶν αὐτοῖς, δεδόχθαι ἐπανέσαι τὰν τε Τηνίων πόλιν, ἢπει τῷ τοιούτῳ αὐτοῖς πέμψας, ὄμοιως δὲ αὐτοῖς πρεσβύτεραις Ἡρόδοτον καὶ Μενέκλην, ὅτι καλῶς καὶ διτάκτως.

Quibus & hæc videntur subnectenda, in alio lapidis frustulo reperta.

τὸς δὲ Κόσμῳ δόριῳ Cosinos autem tradere exemplar αὐτίγεραφον τῷδε τῷ Φαφίσματος σφραγίσαντας τὰ δαμοσίᾳ σφραγίδι διποσαλθέντες Ἡρόδοτῷ referendum Herodoto Meneclē καὶ Μενέκλει

Fuere aliæ non paucæ genere eodem formulæ, sed quarum nudi solummodo tituli in fragmentis lapidum servantur, viz.

ΠΟΛΥΡΡΗΝΙΩΝ. *Polyrrheniorum.*

Πολυρρηνιων. οι. κοσμοι. και. α. Cosni & civitas Polyrrheniorum πόλις. Τηνιων. τωι. δαμωι. και. Tēiorum populo & concilio salu-

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ται . Βουλαι . χαιρειν . κομισαμεν - salutem. Missum à vobis pse-
οι . το . Ψαφισμα . το . παξ . u- phisma attulere : : : : : :
μων : : : : : : οι . πρεσ- legati Apollodotus & Colotes.***
ευλαι . Απολλοδόλος . και . Κο-
λωτας. * * *

KΥΔΩΝΙΑΤΑΝ. *Cydoniatarum.*

Κυδωνιαταν . α . πολις . και . οι . Cydoniatarum civitas Cosmique
Κοσμοι * *

ΛΑΠΠΑΙΩΝ. *Lappaorum.*

Εδοξε . Λαππαιων . τοις . Κοσ- Placuit Cosmis & civitati Lap-
μοις . και . ται . πολει . επειδη . παξαγενομενοι . πρεσβευται . παξα . paeorum. Quandoquidem huc
πατου . δημου . του . Τηιων . Απολλο- pervenire legati à populo Teio-
δόλος . Αστυανακίος . Κολωτης . Ε- rum, Apollodotus F. Alyanaelis,
καλωνυμου . επελθοντες . επι . την . Colotes F. Hecatonymi, inque con-
εκκλησιαν . εφανισαν . την * * * cionem introducti perspicuam se-
cere *** &c. ut Rhaucii.

ΠΡΙΑΝΣΙΩΝ. *Prianforum.*

Εδοξε . Πριανσιων . τοις . Κοσμι- Placuit Cosmis & civitati Pri-
οις . και . ται . πολει . επειδη . Η- anforum. Quandoquidem Her-
εοδόλος . Μηνοδότου . και . Μενε- rodotus F. Menodoti, & Menecles
χλης . Διονυσιου . * *

ΛΑΤΙΩΝ. *Latiorum.*

Εδοξε . Λατιων . τοις . Κοσμοις . Placuit Cosmis & civitati Latiorum.
και . ται . πολει . επειδη . Τηιοι . Quandoquidem Teii cognati,
συγγενεις . και . φιλοι . δια . προ- & jam olim per majores ami-
γονων . υπαρχοντες . Ψαφισμα . ci nostri, psephisma miserunt,
και . πρειγεντας . απεσαλκαν . Α- & legatos, Apollodotum et Colotem,
πολλοδόλον . και . Κολωταν . οι . δε qui accedentes ad commune La-
πτελθοντες . επι . το . κοινον . το . * *

Ad

Ad Monumenta Teia & populos Cretenses Notæ.

I. ΕΛΕΥΘΕΡΝΑΙΩΝ. *Eleuthernaeorum.* pag. 108. Horum antiquissima in Mediteraneis Cretæ civitas, ante Curetum tempora, *Satra* vocata fuit; postea ab eorum uno, mutato nomine, *Eleuthernæ*. Ita scilicet apud Plinium Scylacemque: cùm male in Stephani epitome *Eleutherna*, pejus adhuc in eādem, & in Dionis exemplaribus *Eleuthera* legatur. Ejus tanta fuit potentia sub his Antiochi M. & Philippi regum temporibus, ut bello ultrò illato Rhodiorum injurias repulerit. Postea Romanorum quoque impetus, non nisi prodicione capta, fortiter sustinuit: quin Q. Metellus, perdomitus Cretensibus, liberæ in id tempus insulæ, ut inquit Livii Epitomator, leges dedit. Vide Dionis lib. mutilum 36. Polyb. hist. lib. 4. Extant hujuscæ civitatis nummi inversis antiquis literis *ΝΟΙΑΝΨΕΘΤΕΛΑ* scripti.

Pag. 109. Ἀγίαρδες Ἐυκράτης Ρέδις ὁ τοῦ τῶν Βασιλέων Αἰδίχω πρεσβύτερος θητὸς τῶν πολέμων [vñ] ἀλεύσεις Σπουδαῖς, i. e. Hegesander Eucratensis Rhodius legatus à rege Antiocho de bello nunc dirimendo missus. Quanquam hæc ad illatum ab Eleuthernæs genti Rhodiorum bellum, circa annum regis Antiochi sextum, primâ facie pertinere videantur, verisimilius tamen respici crediderim annum ejus tricesimum primum, ante Christ. 194, paulò ante quam Menippum Romanum ablegaverat, tum sua tum Teiorum illic negotia obitum. Tunc enim studio imminentis belli, quod, ut inquit Appianus in Syriacis, contra Romanos animo præceperat, cætera omnia pacata cupiebat, generosque sibi adjungi reges propinquos expetebat, Ptolemaeum Ægypti, Ariaramnē Cappadociæ, Eumenem Pergami. Eodemque proflus intuitu visus est, per hanc Hegesandri Rhodii legationem, tum Teios, tum Cretenses sibi populos devinxisse. Per alium verò Rhodium, nomine Euclém, ut docet Hieronymus in Daniëlem, Ptolemaeum regem demulcebat, eumque annum jam decimum regnantem, qui saltē aliquā sui parte incidit in annum Antiochi M. 31. ante Christum 194.

Pag. 109, 110. Δεδόχας τῆς Κοσμίου καὶ τὰ πόλεις. Placere Cosmīs & civitati Eleutherneorum. Semel hic notetur solennis auctoritatis formula, quā publicis suis Decretis & Rescriptis præfantur Cretenses populi. Ita quid sibi velit discendum ab Aristotele Polit. l. 2. c. 10. Λίγει τὰ πλεῖστα μεμιηθέα τὸ Κρήτινον πολιτείαν οὐ Φλακάνων. . . . Οἱ δὲ διὸ Εφόρος τὸ αὐτὸν ἔχοις διώματιν τὸν εἰ τῷ Κρήτῃ Κόσμοις πλὴν οἱ μόνοι Εφόροι τινὲς τὸν. οἱ δὲ γέροντες τῆς γέρουσιν, οἱ καλέσιν οἱ Κρήτες βελάν, ίσαι. Βασιλέας πρότερον μόνον ήταν κατέλυσαν οἱ Κρήτες. Καὶ τὸ ιψεμονιαν οἱ Κόσμοις τὸν πόλεμον ἔχοντες. Εκκλησίας δὲ μετέχουσι πάντες. Κρεία δὲ οὐδενὸς ιτιν, αἴκι δὲ σωματικῆς φύσισα δίξαντα τὸν Γιγενόν, τοὺς Κόσμοις . . . εἰς ἐπανήλιν αἰγῶσι τὸν Κόσμον, ἀλλὰ εἰς τινῶν γενῶν, καὶ τὸν γέροντας εἰς πινακικότων, i. e. Plerisque in rebus Lacedemonum respublica Cretensem emulata dicitur... Ephori enim Lacedemoniæ eaudem potestatem ac in Crotâ Cosmî; nisi quid Ephori numero sunt quinque, Cosmî decem. Seniores vero senioribus, quos concilium Cretenses vocant, numero sunt æquales. Olim quidem regum fuit; id deinde Creteus fustulere. Cosmique in bello imperium obtinent: conciosus vero universa plebs est participes. Ipsi interim dominatus nullus alius competit, præterquam quæ placuerint senioribus Cosmique lati suffragiis comprobare . . . Non ex quibuscumque Cosmîs eligunt, sed ex generibus quibusdam, & seniores ex iis qui aliquando gesserint Cosmatum. Κόσμος plerisque vocabatur hujusmodi magistratus: His verò Eleutherneis, ut & Saxiis, Rhauciis, Priansiis, Κέρουι. Recte igitur priore vocabulo usus est Aristoteles aliique, recte etiam & posteriore Strabo; docens scil. lib. 10. τὸν Εφόρες τὰ αὐτὰ τὰς εἰς Κρήτη Κοσμίους διοικήσιας ἴσιγες ἀνομάλης. Inter decem Cosmîs unus eminebat princeps, ilisque tanquam anni Eponymus antiquitus designabatur, ut in Creticâ quæ mox adducetur inscriptione, ΕΠΙ ΤΩΝ ΣΤΗΝ ΚΡΑΤΙΝΩΝ, i.e. sub iis qui cum Cratino fuisse Cosmîs. Idem sequiore ævo, Protocolsi titulo, in Lyti urbis occurrit monumentis, Trajano & ejus familiæ dicatis. Grut. n. LXXXIV. &c.

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II. ΙΣΤΡΩΝΙΩΝ. *Istroniorum*; iterumque pag. 111. ΕΞ ΙΣΤΡΩΝΟΣ, ex Istrone. Vides, Lector, hanc civitatem Istronem ab Artemidoro vero nomine appellatam, quæ Stephano haud verè, ut videtur, Istrus. Ἰσχος, inquit ille, πόλις Κεντητης, ἢν Ἀγεμίδωρος Ἰσχῶν Φυσι.

Pag. 112. Καὶ τὸν διαβῆτα Λευκίνην γίνεσθαι δάμην. Et alicuius beneficij populo autores fieri. Ita scilicet, promandatorum & postulatorum quæ inter civitates intercedebant formulâ. Præcessit enim in Eleutheræorum psephismate. Totidemque verbis apud Josephum, ab Hudsono accuratissimè nuper editum, antiq. Jud. lib. 14. cap. 9. Pergameni Hyrcanum Judæum dato psephismate hortantur, σωθῆσθαι καὶ αὐξενθαι φιλίαν, καὶ σύγχρονον γίνεσθαι.

*Pag. 112. Τάντε καθίστασθαι τῷ Διονύσῳ τὰς τε πόλεις καὶ τὰς χώρας ὑμῶν ἔτι δὲ καὶ ιερὰν καὶ ἀστελλον ἄνεα (Θελόμονες κατέβασθαι Περδίκην) δίδουεν. Consecrari Baccho tum urbem tum regiomē vestram, & sacram porro haberi & inviolatam (Perdicæ gratificari cupientes) concedimus. Opportunè postulat hic locus, ut adferantur nonnulla veterum de Urbibus Sacris & Asylis testimonia. Fuere igitur, ex consensu regum & populorum, multæ per orbem aræ, sana, templo, luci, omnia eo jure, eaque religione sancta, ut tutelari loci numini consecrata, cæteris mortalium perfugio essent, sibi ipsis contra rapinas, populationes & prædationes præsidio. Iisdem gaudebant beneficijs & integræ persæpe urbes, unde illud IEP. KAI. ΑΣΤΑ. in nummis toties obsignatum. His aliquando addebatur & circumiecti agri pars non exigua; aliquando etiam, quod tamen omnium rarissimum, tota sacræ civitatis quaqua patebat regio. Primi hoc in Asia continente Teii videntur obtinuisse; quibus tamen præire vere tres sacræ insulæ, Sicilia, Samothraca, Delos. De Siciliâ testis in quartâ Verrinâ Cicero. *Vetus est hæc opinio, judices, quæ constat ex antiquissimis Græcorum literis, atque monumentis, insulam Siciliam totam esse Cereris & Liberae consecratam.* De Samothracâ Livius lib. 45. cap. 5. *Sacram hanc insulam, & augusti totam atque inviolati soli esse.* Idemque de Delo lib. præcedente, cap. 29. *Sanctitas templi insulæque inviolatos præstabat omnes.* Tale ac tantum fuit, quod toti nunc Teiorum ditioni, Baccho ritè consecratæ, Antiochus Syriæ, & Philippus Macedoniæ reges, per legatos, à diversis populis impetrârunt; id quod & Smyrnæ urbi non ita pridem Seleucus Callinicus præsticit: Ipsi scilicet Smyrnæis in marmore Oxoniensi sic professis, Ἐρεαθεροὶ δὲ περὶ τὸν Βασιλεῖν, καὶ τὸν δυνάστας, καὶ τὰς πόλεις καὶ τὰ ἔθνη, αἰγιώπας διαδίξασθαι τὸ τε ιερὸν τε Στεφλονιδοῦ ἀστελλον ἄνεα, καὶ τὰ πόλιν ὑμῶν ιερὰν καὶ ἀστελλον, i. e. Quinetiam scriptis ad reges, & potestates, & civitates, & gentes, postulans ab eis ut sanum Veneris Stratonicidis inviolatum, urbemque itidem nostram sanctam & inviolatam recognoscere. Hoc ipsum tamen, tanquam origine male firmâ nixum, in dubium postea vocatum à Romanis, imperante Tiberio Cæsare. Tumenim (inquit Tacitus, qui hæc de re unicè legendus, annal. lib. 3. cap. 62. &c.) crebresebat Græcas per urbes licentia atque impunitas aysla statuendi. Auditæ igitur civitatum legationes; & introspectis majorum beneficiis, sociorum pactis, regum etiam qui ante vim Romanam valuerant decretis, ipsorumque numinum religionibus, facta senatus consulta, queis, multo cum honore, modus tamen præscribatur; jussique ipsis in templis figere æra, sacrandam ad memoriam, nea specie religionis in ambitionem delaberentur.*

Pag. 113. Οἱ δὲ Κορσοὶ οἱ πάντας οἱ Κορψίδες, i.e. Cosmi autem qui eadē in perpetuum auctoritate fuerint. His planè gemina occurrunt in præclaro Oxoniensi marmore, communè illud Hierapytniorum & Priansiorum fœdus exhibente, quod primus, inter observationes ad Apuleii apologiam, doctissimus Pricæus edidit. Excepto quod in nostro marmore plenius legatur ΤΟΚΑΑΕΙ, in isto verò ΤΟΚΑΕΙ, cliso priore A. Utrobique igitur hæc sic videntur distinguenda, οἱ πάντας οἱ Κορσοὶ, aut cum elisionis notulâ, οἱ πάντας οἱ Κορσοὶ, intromissa scilicet inter πάντας οἱ Κορσοὶ Creticâ expletivâ πάντας. Restat igitur ut πάντας οἱ Κορσοὶ eadem, ac πάντας οἱ Κορσοὶ, constructione gaudeat; neque locum in his habeat Doricum adversarium πάντας οἱ Κορσοὶ pro πάντας οἱ Κορσοὶ alijs usitatum; quanquam rejectâ priore lectione, nullaque finalis ει justâ habitâ ratione, Pricæus illud huc adsciverit; edideritque οἱ πάντας οἱ Κορσοὶ, i.e. pro tempore Cosmi existentes.

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III. ΣΤΕΦΡΙΩΝ. *Sybritiorum.* pag. 113. Hi sunt, quorum, transpositis malè literis, tanquam Σεντίων Polybius meminisse dicitur: Ita scilicet referente Stephano Byz. ex corruptis, ut crediderim, libri 13ⁱ. exemplaribus. Ei igitur sic enata est, que fortè nulla in Cretâ fuit, Σιενές πόλις Κρήτης: τὸ Ιθυνὸν Σιενές, ὃς Πολύειρας ἐν τερασσαδεντρῷ. At verò Scylax, Polybio ferè aequalis scriptor, Cretam insulam in Australem ut heri assoler, & Borealem partem dividens, ΕΛΘΙΕΝΑ, inquit, τέχνης Βορέα, τέχνης Νότου ή Συνέπεια, καὶ λιμνή, i. e. versus Boream sunt Eleuthernæ, at Austrum versus Sykrita cum pertu. Cum igitur habeamus in hoc lapide, pag. nempe 113. & 114. Εἰ δὲ ταῦτα ὅγειρικά τε ξύλεια, i. e. si qui solventes ex Sykritiā, &c. mallem illud Ιθυνῶν de terrâ scilicet aut regione Sykritiā capi; aut potius in apographo, secundūm verum civitatis nomen, Ιθυνεῖται, i. e. εἰ Συνέπεια legi.

IV. ΣΑΞΙΩΝ. *Saxiorum.* pag. 114. Diligentissimo Francisco Haym, inter edendum Thesaurum Britannicum, Part. II. pag. 147. res non temnenda accidit: duos nimurum nummos contrectasse per omnia sibi invicem simillimos, excepto quod minus eorum epigraphen ΟΑΞΙΩΝ, alter ΣΑΞΙΩΝ ferret. Priorem jam olim Goltzius vulgariterat, at posteriorem ipse tum primūm Haymius, unā cum his quos inferius adhibemus Rhauciorum & Cnosiorum nummis.



ē Gazi Vobisissimi Devoniarū Dūcis.

Et ΟΑΞΙΩΝ quidem epigraphe multis fe tuerit testimonii, qualia sunt Herodoti, lib. IV. c. 154. Τοιούτης ΟΑΞΙΩΝ πόλις. Carmen Apollonii l. 1. v. 1131. δερξαθή γάρ τοι ΟΑΞΙΩΝ, Poeticè pro ΟΑΞΙΩΝ. Virgilianum in Eclogā 1. --- rapidum Cretæ --- Oxeum: Varonianum de eodem Oaxe, & Oxiā civitate, à Vibio Sequestri observatum: Stephanī denique Byzantini, ΟΑΞΙΩΝ πόλις κρήτης --- ο παλίτης ΟΑΞΙΩΝ. Sed & vetam non minus fuisse ΣΑΞΙΩΝ in nummo parili epigraphen, certissimè demonstrat nostræ inscriptionis titulus, cum initiali quadrato Σ, similiter formatus. Et ne quis dubitet de initialis literæ potentia, occurrit Gentile illud Σαξιών, aut (quod mirandum) Σαξιών nomen, in psephismate sèpius repetitum. Judicet igitur Lector, fuerintne diversæ civitates ΣΑΞΟΣ & ΟΑΞΟΣ, an, quod numisma commune suadet, variata, pro more Cretico, ejusdem civitatis appellatio; non aliter ac Λάμπα & Λαππα, Ισερ & Ισερών, atque id genus alia. Verisimile est utrumque nomen suffectum fuisse longè antiquiori ΑΞΟΣ, quale legerat olim Stephanus Byz. in Herodoteis tunc temporis exemplaribus. ΑΞΩ enim, hoc est ἀγρός, ut inquit idem Stephanus, apprime competebat naturæ loci, qui καλάνχημον, i. e. præceps & confragosus fuit. Atque hinc est, quod per Saxa & præcipitia decurrentes Oaxes fluvius, rapidus proinde à Poetâ vocari meruit. vid. Stephan. in ΑΞΩ & ΟΑΞΩ.

Pag. 115. Πρεγδατάς, legatos. Palam fit per hosce lapides quam verè olim Creticæ linguæ varietatem cecinerit Homerus, Odyss. τ. 175. Ἀλλη δὲ ἄλλων γλώσσα μεμιζόμενη. i. e. Cretæ diversis lingua est diversa populi: idque ob permistos indigenis Ετεοκράτας, sive veris antiquis Cretensisbus, Achivos, Dorienses & Pelasgos advenas, sive, ut inquit Scylax, Lacedæmonios, Argivos, Athenienses, aliasque ex aliis Græciæ partibus colonos. Ετεοκράτας igitur crediderim fuisse non nota aliàs vocabula, πρεγδατάς, πρεγδατοί, τὰ πρεδήια, ἀ πρεγδατα, Saxiis, Rhauciis, Priansiis, & Latii usitata; pro quibus cæteri Græci, immò & Cretenses quam plurimi dixerunt, πρεσβετάς, πρεσβύτας, τὰ πρεσβύτα, ἀ πρεσβύτα. Hinc quibusdam antiquis visum fuit operæ pretium glossarum Creticarum lexica contexere: atque eorundem non inane spicilegium undequeaque collectorum congregavit doctissimus J. Meursius, in opere postumo de Cretâ, lib. 4. cap. 15.

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Pag. 115. & 116. Διαιτήσ. Hujusmodi vocem, pro quā pñne temerē reposuerām sūlēσ, in penultimā duxi acuendam, tanquam Creticē usurpatam pro διαιτήσαι, ut διελέχθω anteā pro διελέχθωσ. Verbum enim medium Αγλίσησ omnino proprium est hujus loci, non autem actuum Αγλίσ. Quæ duo quām diversā sint significatione scitè ex Xenophonte demonstravit H. Stephanus. Ni igitur apographum clarè præferret ΔΙΑΛΕΓΟΝΤΟΣ, pag. 115. lin. 6. mallem illuc editum Αγλεγένησ.

Pag. 115. lege οδαμοσοσατεῖων, & 116. ὁ δῆμος ὁ Σαξιων. i. e. Populus Saxiorum.

V. Pag. 116. ΡΑΤΚΙΩΝ. Rhauciorum. Quorum unā cum urbe Rhaco meminit Polybius, legat. C. Επολεμήσαν Κύρωσις μὲν Ποσεινιαν πρὸς τὴν Ταυκίαν, ἢ σωθῆσας ἐποίεαν πρὸς αλλήλας ἐνόργαν, μὴ πρότερον λύσαντες τὸ πόλεμον πελῶν ἢ καθῆσεν ἐλεῖν τὸ Ταῦκον, i. e. Bellum adversum Rhaucos gerere Cnossi & Gortyni, sedisque jurati iniuriant non prius se ijtud bellum omisssuros quām Rhaicum urbem vi cepissent. Hæc igitur de Rhaciis & Rhaco urbe historicè Polybius. At si fides Antenori apud Älianum, Hist. Animal. lib. 17. cap. 35. quem locum à Meursio videoes citatum, de Cretâ lib. 1. c. 15. gemina fuit urbs Rhacus in Cretâ insulâ; Mater una, altera Colonia. Unde Geographi fortasse conciliandi Stephanus Scylaxque; quorum ille in mediterraneâ Cretæ, hic verò, rectè emendatus, in orâ Australi maritimâ ponit Rhaicum: Maximè, si in testimonium advocetur



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perantiquus ille, Cadmeis scriptus literis, ΙΩΙΩΤΑΙ nummus. Is enim disparibus duobus symbolis, caballo & tridente, insignis, videtur ad populum pertinere, loco saltem diversum, quanquam nomine, & natione, & ditione unum. Aliter haud facile expediveris quid sibi velit epigraphé ΡΑΤΚΙΩΝ, mira sanè præ cæteris epigraphis, δινῶν, sive duali numero, concepta; quæque quum verbo uno Latino nequeat exprimi, duobus sic certè exprimenda est; Rhauciorum geminorum. Scitè legenda est tota hæc epigraphæ eo quo impressa est modo, hoc est à dextrâ ad sinistram; idque, ne inversa illa Ν Cadmea, quam videsis in tabulâ nostrâ ante pag. 24. pro Σημα temerē habeat.

VI. Pag. 118. ΑΡΚΑΔΩΝ. Arcadum. Quorum urbs, teste Stephano, pro varietate Creticâ, & Ἀρκάδες simul & Ἀρκαδία modo non uno efferebatur. Cives Polybio (Historiarum lib. 4.) ut & huic nostro psephismati, Ἀρκάδες. Fors autem & nummus Goltzianus, ΑΡΚΑΔΙΩΝ scriptus, huc etiam pertinebit.

Pag. 119. Μιλωδ' ἀγλαμίτις νεμψίζει, Creticè pro ηρμηνίᾳ, i. e. Mensis Aratamitii novilunio, sive die primâ. Lucro equidem ponendum, quod occurrit in hisce monumentis mensium Creticorum nomina. Hic nempe ἀγλαμίτιος, quod & Græcis quidem cæteris commune; & postea, ut videbimus, quædam non aliâs auditâ, Ελθοῖσι, Ηραῖσι, Δεօμοῖσι, Ίμαλοῖσι, præteralia duo, scripturâ non adeo certâ tradita... Θεμολαῖος... αλλόσιοι. Quibus adde ex imperfectâ apud Montfauconum inscriptione, in Diario Italico pag. 74. μηνός... δακικ. Hoc enim ad Cretensem populum Hierapytnios spectare noscas, ex eo quod præcessit, ιπερχθη ἐν ΙΕΡΑΠΥΤΝΗ, i. e. aetum fuit in Hierapytnâ. Ast, ut obiter id moneam, εν ΙΕΡΑ ΠΥΤΝΗ PRO ΙΕΡΑΠΥΤΝΗ magnificus ibi Antiquarius, nescio quo malo errore, legerat. Pejore igitur sic transtulit Latine, Datum fuit decretum in sacrâ pugna; ratus, ut opinor, verti totum imperfæcta inscriptionis cardinem in Iusoriâ illâ, quam Cretenses aliquando edebant, pugna.

Pag. 119. Ἡ τὰν χάρεις ἀνεῳδοι, i. e. aut regionem prius consecratam resecuraverint. Ecce! vocem habemus Græcam αὐγεῖσ, unde nata est Latina resecurare. Hanc vero unus quem sciām adhibuit Nepos in vitâ Alcibiadis, cap. 6. Idemque illi Eunolpidæ sacerdotes ριρισ resecurare sunt coalli, qui cum primi devoverant.

Ibid.

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Ibid. οὐνα τὰ ἐν τῷ νόμῳ, i. e. *Lautia ex lege, seu legitima.* In his enim parandis & præbendis excelluere Cretenses populi, quorum οὐνα etiam attigit Homerus Odyss., unde Eustathius in locum, 'Ἐν Κρήτῃ πολὺ τοῖς τελέσι εὐσίται, τελέσου λινοῦ ξενιαν καλύπται, ἐν δὲ ἐνάθιζον τὸ ξένων τοὺς πελάστας', i. e. *In Creta, apud apparantes publica convivia, mensa ponebantur hospitales diabetae, ad quas sedebant hospitium qui aderant eminentiores.*

Ibid. Προξένος τὰς πόλεως ἀμάρτιν, i. e. *Civitatis nostra hospites.* Hunc honorem illustribus quibusvis advenis omnes serè Graeci; & studiosè præ ceteris Cretenses detulerunt. De Syracusanis refert Cicero in Verrinā quartā; *Decernunt ut L. Fratris hospitium publicè fieret . . . id non modò tum scriperunt, verùm etiam in ære incisum nobis tradiderunt.* Eiusdemque in ære sic incisi, & Demetrio cuidam concessi, apud Gruterum duo diversa existant exemplaria, cccc. 8. cccc. 1.



VII. Pag. 120. ΕΔΟΞΕ ΚΝΩΣΙΩΝ ΤΟΙΣ [ΚΟΣΜΙΟΣ erroneè impressum pro] ΚΟΣΜΟΙΣ, i. e. *Placuit Cnoisorum, &c.* Et hi quoque peccarunt eadem illâ licentia atque incertitudine scribendi. Ut enim libros taceam, in ipsis etiam nummis variatum est ΓΝΩΣΙΩΝ, ΓΝΩΣΙΩΝ, ΚΝΩΣΙΩΝ, quod ultimum à nostro lapide, & à nummo superius apposito, ut verius & antiquius confirmatur. Libet verò, dum antiquissime hujus civitatis psephisma edimus, & hunc quoque singularem ejusdem nummum contemplari, κεφάλαιον longè pretiosissimum gazæ Devonienſi additum. Is ab uno latere, celeberrimum habet regis Minois carcerem, Cnoisum dico labyrinthum. Alterius autem, quod nos hic unice spectamus, non Apollinis, ut quibusdam visum, sed, pro more civitatum democraticarum, ΠΟΛΧΟΤ, sive ΔΗΜΟΤ, hoc est *Populi caput*, unde cum voce ΠΟΛΧΟΣ, est impressum. Interim ΠΟΛΧΟΣ, quainvis mortuum esse videatur, & extinctum penitus vocabulum, vivit tamen hodie vigetque in Italico *Volgo*, Teutonicoque *Volk*, & *Folk*. Una omnibus origo ex Græciā voce ὥχλος, i. e. *turba*, pro multitudine aut populo accepta, ut *turba Remi*. Quo sensu & ipsi de quibus nunc agimus, frequentes per Cretam populi, à Scymno Chio ὥχλοι sunt vocati, *Perieg.* v. 539.

Κρήτη δὲ νῆσος — πλάτειος χρέος
Ὦχλοις ἀπ' ἀρχῆς καὶ πόλεων σικεράν, i. e.

Creta ab antiquo insula

Turbis reserta & urbibus frequentibus.

Hinc ὥχλοκερατῆς idem planè ac δημοκρατῆς, i. e. democratica potestate uti; & ὥχλος Hesychio reddita ἐκκλησία, i. e. *populi concio*. Jam verò ex ὥχλος Άεoles transpositis litteris secere ὥχλος; iudicemque ex ὥχλος, præposito digamma, Φώλχος simul & φώλχος. Id Cretenses, pro more suo, aspiratam in tenuem mutantes, scripserunt πόλχος; at Latini *volgus*, Itali hodierni *volgo*, indigenæ Germani *volk*, Angli nostrates *folk*; sic scilicet ad Φώλχος illud Άelicum ceteris aliquanto propius accedentes.

Pag. 121. Τὰν δοὺ τὰς ἀναργοφᾶς θιράξιαν. Hujusmodi ἀναργοφᾶν, apud Clasticois haud facilè occurrentem, plenè explicatam dabit D. Jacobus c. iii. 13. δικάστων τῷ καλῆς ἀναργοφῆς τὰ ἔργα αὐτῶν ἐν περιήλιοι σοφίας.

Pag. 121. Τὰ τε Τιμοθέων καὶ Πολυδών. Cithara perfite edidit quedam *tum Timothei tum Polyidi*. Circiter ducentos ante hæc decreta annos, quo nempe anno Ithycles Athenis Archon fuit, hoc est ante Chr. 396. floruisse Musico ingenio celeberrimi Timotheus & Polydus, ut testatur Diodorus Siculus lib. 14. Hic autem ille est Timotheus quem apud Macrob. *saturn.* 5. cap. 22. tantopere effert Alexander Poeta Αἴtolus, tanquam *κιθαρίστης ιδμορα καὶ μετίων, Timotheus cithara carminibusque sciens.* Verba ille quam felicissime aptavit cithara modis, auxitque chordatum musicarum numerum;

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unde cæteris ubique Græcis acceptissimus unus displicuit Lacedæmoniis, peregrinam omnem levitatem aspernantibus, & antiquum vocum modum non servari immane quantum indignantibus. Græciæ igitur laudibus superbientem Psephismate tanquam immiso fulmine percusserunt. Quod quum in Boethii libris de musicâ diu neglectum fordeceret, in lucem demum protractum, & certatim à viris doctis emendatum comparuit. Dum autem de Timotheo agimus, splendidum sane antiquitatis monumentum, moris quoque & linguae Laconicæ specimen non contemnendum, noluimus ab hoc nostro opere abesse. Lectionem interim exhibemus, non quidem veram (quis enim hoc speraverit in scripto unico Laconico per librarios Latinos tradito?) at veræ, ut putetur, proximam; ex variis per Jac. Gronovium cum MS. Cantabrigiensi codice collatis, summa curâ atque fide, adornatam. *Vid. præfationem ad Theb. Antiq. Gr. Vol. V.*

Psephisma Lacedæmoniorum de Timotheo.

Ἐπειδὴ Τιμόθεος ὁ Μιλήσιος παρηγίμενος ἐτῶν αὐτεῖχαν τὸν τάν των παλαιῶν μῶν αἰτιώσδει, καὶ τὸν διὰ τὸν ἐπὶ λέχοδαν κινθάριζεν ἀποστρέφομενος, πολύφωνεν εἰσάγων, λυρινέλαι τῷ ἀκοὰ τῷ νέῳ· διὰ τε τῷ πολυχορδίᾳ καὶ τῷ καινέταλος τῷ μέλεος ἀτενὴ καὶ ποικίλαν αὐτὸν ἀπλόαρ καὶ τελεμέναρ ἀμφίστρονταν μῶν, ἐπὶ χρυσαλοῦ συνισάμενος τὸν τῷ μελεος διασκευὰν, αἵτινες τῷ ἐναγμονίᾳ ποιῶν ἀστιρέφεν ἀριστὰν παραχλεύεις δὲ καὶ ἐτὸν ἄγαντα τῷ Ἐλευσίναρ Δάμαλος ἀπερπῆ διεσκεύσαδο τὸν τῷ μύθῳ διασκευὰν, τῷ τῷ Σεμέλῃρ ὠδίναρ ὧν ἔνδικα τῷ νέῳ δίδακτε. Δεδόχθαι παῖς ὑπὲρ τὸν τῷ βασιλέαρ καὶ τῷ ἕφίρῳ μέμψασθε Τιμόθεον· ἐπανακάξαι δὲ καὶ τὸν ἔνδικα χροδαν ἐκλαμένη τῷ περιτλῷ πανοπλούμενον τῷ ἐπιτλῷ ὅπως ἔκαστος τῷ τῷ πτέρυξ βαρος ἐρῶν ἔνδικταις ἐτῶν Σπαρτιέλαι θητέρεν τοι τὸν μὴ καλῶν ἔθαν, μή ποτε τῷ ἀρετᾷ κλέος ἀτιμῶν.

Quandoquidem Timotheus Milesius adveniens in civitatem nostram debonestat antiquam musicam, eamque quæ sit per septem chordas citbarizationem averfatus, multisonam introducens, juvenum auditus inficit, perque ebordarum istam multiplicitatem, & modulorum novitatem pro simplici & continuata varian circuminduit & tenore parentem musicam; omnem in colore ponens modulandi apparatus, & enharmonica loco flexibilem faciens concinentiam: Quinetiam quum ad Eleusiniæ Cereris ludos vocaretur, adornata male decora fabula, juvenes non rite docuit Semeles puerperium: Placere utique ut reges ephoriique ob hæc duo Timotbeum reprehendant, cogantque è chordis undecim resindere superfluas, relictis septem: ut videns quis civitatis gravitatem vereatur in Spartam mali moris aliquid inferre, neque virtutis unquam splendorem debonestet.

Hæc igitur Lacones de Timotheo: Quibus, ne pro morositate suâ soli hoc censuisse videantur, plenissime habemus suffragantem Pherecratem, Poetam Comicum, à Sotricho illo Plutarchiano in libello de Musicâ allegatum.

Ibid. Καὶ τὸν ἀρισταῖνον ποιητᾶν, Veterumque nostratum poetarum. Multi hi fuere à dilingentissimo Meursio recensiti, inter quos princeps eminuit Thales, Lycurgi aequalis, Straboni μελοποιὸς ἀνὴρ καὶ νομοθετὸς, Melicorum auctor & legumlator; φησι τὸς ποιητῶν καὶ τὰς ἀλλὰς τὰς ἐπιχωέις ὡδὰς ἀναδίτας. Cui tum pænas, tum alia Cretensis carmina attribuunt. Strab. lib. x.

Ibid. Καθὼς προσῆκεν ἀδελφεος πεπαιδευμένῳ, eo quo decebat virum literatum modo. Patrium scilicet Cretensibus, teste Strabone, fuit, παιδαρ γέγματα τε πανθάνειν καὶ τὰς ἐπικουριας, pueros tum literas discere, tum legitima quædam carmina, neconon & musicæ diversas species.

Pag. 121, 122. ΠΟΛΥΡΡΗΝΙΩΝ, ΚΥΔΩΝΙΑΤΑΝ, ΔΑΠΠΑΙΩΝ. Polyrrheniorum, Cydoniotorum, Lapporum. Horum Cydoniatis certa una scriptura in nummis & lapidibus & libris constitit. Sed, qui in libris & in hoc lapide Πολυρρήνοι, in nummis sunt cum & simplici Πολυρρήνοι, eorumque urbs diversimode Πολυρρήνοι, Πολυρρήνα, & Πολύρην, ni fallant

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fallunt Stephani exemplaria. Λαππάσι, ut in hoc lapide, ita etiam & in nummis perpetuò per π geminum efferuntur; in Polybii verò aliorumque exemplaribus Λαμπάσι. Urbs etiam & Λάππα & Λάρπα usu promiscuo nominata est. Quam quidem diversitatem ex Xenione Creticorum auctore ipse notavit Stephanus. Ut jam tandem mirari desinamus, si Cretensia locorum & populorum nomina vix ulli certæ legi orthographice obsequantur.

Ibid. ΠΡΙΑΝΣΙΩΝ, ΛΑΤΙΩΝ. *Priansiorum, Latiorum.* His urbs sua Λατώ, sive Λατώ; hoc tempore vocata est; nondum, quod Xenio apud Stephanum notavit, *Camara*. Priansis verò urbs erat nomine Πελάσιος, populus Πελάσιος & Πελάσιος. Ita igitur corrificantur tum Stephani vetus epitomator in voce Πελάσιος, & cl. J. Harduin in male lecto ΠΡΙΑΙΣΙΕΩΝ, aut, ut alii, ΠΡΙΑΣΣΙΕΩΝ nummo, *Antiq. Pop. & Urb. Num. p. 409.* Extat autem urbis utriusque longè amplior memoria, in comparibus fœderum tabulis, alterā Priansios inter & Hierapytnios, inter Latios & Olontios alterā: quas quidem ambas hac accersimus, nullo modo aut supervacaneas aut alienas, sed ad hoc nostrum opus & jure optimo, & ratione non unā pertinentes. Sic enim jaictura resarcietur duorum quæ amissa cernimus Psephismatum; sub uno commode conspectu cadent omnes ferē quæ supersunt Creticorum lapidum antiquitates; res denique, phrases, verba, antehac mendasē edita, pristinæ, ut speramus, lectioni, veroque sensui restituentur.

Harum prima (1) ter jam orbi eruditio propinata est, qualem eam ē marmore Arundeliano descriperat Pricēus, charactere & majuscule & minuscule. Sed in utrāque illā descriptione errata non pauca nunc comparent; quæ, seu fabrilia fuerint, seu Priæana, in imâ pagina orā subindicabimus; absque censurā tamen viri illius eruditissimi, aliud tunc agentis, & extra ceptam orbitam versati. Sed ecce tabulam Græcam & Latinam; cum Pricænis, si cui vacet lubeatque, conferendam.

Fœdus inter duos Cretæ populos, Hierapytnios & Priansios, Oxoniæ in Basilicâ Bodleianâ hodie servatum.

* Ε Ο Σ Α Γ Α *

Ἄγαθᾶ τύχαις ἡγή ἐπὶ σωτηρίᾳ. Ἐπὶ Κόσμῳ μὲν ἐν Τεραπύναι τῶν σὺν Ἐνίπανῃ τῷ Ἐρμαίῳ, [καὶ μηνὸς Ἰμαλίῳ] ἐν δὲ Πριανσὶ ἐπὶ Κόσμῳ τῶν σὺν Νεῶν τῷ Χιράδῳ, καὶ μηνὸς Δρομείᾳ, τὰδε συνέθε[ντο] καὶ συνε-

Bonā cum Fortund: Quodque in salutem sit. Sub Cosmis quidem in Hierapytna collegis cum Henipante F. Hermæi, [& menje] Imalio: In Priansio autem sub Cosmis collegis cum [Neone] F. Chinnari, & mensē Dromo, hæc paſſi sunt, placitique invicem

(1) *Ter;* viz. inter Joannis Pricæ Anglo-Britanni aureolas ad Apuleij apologiam notas ac observationes, edit. Paris. 1635 iterum inter Marmoræ Oxoniensiæ, 1676. & in Reinesii syntagmate 1682.

γ. 1. ἵπι σωτηρίᾳ, in salutem, divisis nempe vocibus, ut Reinesio placuit. Quod si adjectivū *ἵπισωτηρίᾳ*, i. e. salutari cum Pricæo legeri, favet quidem τόχοι alieibi Σωτῆρι dicta. Prius tamen prætuli, ob alias quas vidi inscriptiones sic habentes.

γ. 1. 2. Ἐπὶ Κίσμῳ μὴν ἱεραπύναι τῷ σὺν Ἐνίπανῃ τῷ Ἐρμαίῳ, i. e. sub collegis quidem in Hierapytna cum Henipante F. Hermæi Cosmis. Sic se habet Cretica auctorum formula, adscripto quidem Eponymo anni cuiusque protocoſmo, innominatis verò ceteris sociis novem Cosmis. Similia vide sis apud Latios & Olontios in sequenti fœdere, nec non apud Allanoras pag. seq. 137. & apud Gruerum in urbe ignotâ quidem, sed Laonicæ cerè originis, adeoque nostris Creticis cognatae, pag. ccxvi. ἵπι Ἐφόρως τῷ σὺν Φοιβοῦται, iterumque pag. ccix ἵπι Ἐφόρως τῷ σὺν Ιουΐται μηδὲ Διοσκούρου δεκάτῃ, i.e. sub Ephoris cum Himento collegi, mensis Διοσκούρου dia decimā. Sed cùm de hujusmodi formulis nihil innoverint Pricæo, nil mirum si in hoc comitate & describendo & reddendo, pariterque versu qui sequitur 39. lapsus fuerint vir aliæ acutissimus sanè & eruditissimus. Notentur obiter in tabulâ quam cilavimus Gruterianâ menses Διοσκούρου & Ελαστῖος, imperfectus istis in sequenti nostrâ Creticâ, Διος αλλοσιο & *λαστιον respondentes. vide infra pag. 134.

γ. 2, 3. Καὶ μηδὲ Ἰμαλίῳ, i.e. mensē Imalio. Hæc sic restituta bene quadrabunt cum sequentibus μηδὲ Δρομείᾳ, i.e. mensē Dromo. Imalium verò unum suisse ē mensibus trugiferis elicunt ex Hesychianis illis, Ιουάλιοι, πολλοὶ, δεψιλῆι, Ἰμαλίοι, πολυθρόνοι, ταρπηθέρεοι.

γ. 3. ἵπι Πριανσὶ. Ita certè scribendum, post admissas Simonides literas, & hic & inferiū versu 33 quanquam utrobius marmorarius habeat Πριανσὶ.

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δόκησαν ἀλλάλοις Ἱεραπύτνοι καὶ Πριαντοῖ, Εὔροντες ἐν ταῖς προῦπαρχώσαις στάλαις, ίδιαι τε Θείσαις Γοργυνίσ καὶ Ἱεραπύνισ, καὶ ταῖς καλὰ ποιὸν τεθείσαις καὶ Ἱεραπύνιοις καὶ Πριαντοῖοις, καὶ ἐν ταῖς Φιλίαις, καὶ συμμαχίαις, καὶ ὄρχεις πᾶς προγενούσι, ἐν ταῖς αὐταῖς [ωδεσι], καὶ εἰπὶ ταῖς χώραις, αἱ ἑκάτεροι ἔχοντες καὶ κρατέοντες τοὺς συν-¹⁰ θήκαν ἔθειο, εἰς τὰν τάντα χρέον. Ἱεραπύτνιοι ἐπὶ καὶ Πριαντοῖς ἡμεν παρὰ ἀλλάλοις ἰσοπολιτείαν, καὶ ἐπισαμίας, καὶ ἐνηλησιν, καὶ μελοχάν καὶ Θείων καὶ ἀνθεωπίων πάντων. Οσοι καὶ ἔωντι ἐμφύλοι παρὰ ἑκάτεροις, καὶ πωλότας καὶ ἀνωμένος, καὶ δανειζόντας καὶ δανειζόμενος,¹⁵ καὶ τὸ ἄλλα τάντα συναλλάσσοντας, κυρίος ἡμεν καὶ τὰς ὑπάρχουντας παρὰ ἑκάτεροις νόμος. Ἐξέστω δὲ τῷ τε Ἱεραπύνιῳ σπείρεν ἐν ταῖς Πριαντοῖς, καὶ τῷ Πριαντοῖς ἐν ταῖς Ἱεραπύνιοις, διδῶσι τὰ τέλεα καθάπερ οἱ ἄλλοι πολῖται, καὶ τὰς νόμους τὰς ἑκάτερην κειμένος. Εἰ δέ τι²⁰ καὶ οἱ Ἱεραπύτνοι ὑπεχθῆται εἰς Πριαντοῖς, η ἐ Πριαντοῖς εἰς Ἱεραπύτναις ὅτιον, ἀτέλεα ἔστω καὶ ἵστασιν, καὶ ἴξαλμέναις αὐτὰ, καὶ τούτων τὰς καρπὸς, καὶ καὶ γάν καὶ καὶ θάλασσαν. Όνδε καὶ ἀποδῶται καὶ θάλασσαν εἰσ-²⁵ σας ἐξαγωγὰς τὰν ὑπεχθεσίμων ἀποδῶτω τὰ τέλεα, καὶ τὰς νόμους τὰς ἑκάτερην κειμένος. Καὶ ταῦτα δὲ καὶ εἴτε οὐσινή, ἀτελέα ἔστω εἰς δὲ καὶ σύντας, ἀπόδεισά-³⁰ τω τὰ ἐπισήμια οὐσιμένος, καὶ τὰς νόμους τὰς ἑκάτερην κειμένος. Πρεγγήνα δὲ ὁ [κ]αρπὸν ἔχη προφητῶν παρεχόντων μὲν Ἱεραπύτνοις Κότμοι τὰς Πριαντοῖς, οἱ δὲ Πριαντοῖς³⁵ Κότμοι τὰς Ἱεραπύνιοις. Αἱ δὲ μὴ παριστανταὶ εἰς εἰπίδαιμοι τῶν Κότμων τὰ πρεγγεῖαι στάληρας δέκα. Ο δέ Κότμος τῶν Ἱεραπύνιων ἐρώτεται ἐν Πριαντοῖς εἰς τὸ ἀρχεῖον, καὶ εἰ ἐκκλησίαι καθήσθω μετὰ τῶν Κότμων redditur veltigal, quum per mare fit sub veltorum exportatio, eorum veltigalia redditio, secundum leges alterutri civitati statas. Quoad hæc si quis nil offendere, immunis esto: Si verò offendere, multam persolvent offendere reus secundum leges alterutri civitati statas. Quo verò commeatu legationes opus habuerint, præbento eum Hierapytñi Cosmi Prianis, Prianis verò Cosmi Hierapytñi. Si verò non præbuerint, solvant legationes populares bi vel illi Cosmi singuli stateras decem. Cosmus autem Hierapytñi Prianis in curiam ito, et in concione sedem cum Cosmis

§ firmarunt Hierapytñi & Prianis, federati in stelis prius existentibus, quæ propriæ suæ posita Gortynis & Hierapytñi, & bæc etiam quæ de communi posita est & Hierapytñi & Prianis, & in amicitia, & in belli forte, & in juramentis prius conceptis, tum in ipsis urbibus, tum per universum territorium, quæ alterutri habentes & potentes sedis inierunt, in omne ævum. Hierapytñios inter & Prianis, mutuam fore & æqualem civitatem, & coniubia, & possidendi jus, & participationem tum divinorum tum humanae omnium. Quicunque apud alterutros inquit iniquilini fuerint, eos & vendentes & ementes, & sanori dantes & accipientes, & alia omnia permutantes, bono jure fore, secundum eas quæ apud alterutros subsistunt leges. Licitum autem esto Hierapytñio seminar in terra Prianis, & Prianis in terra Hierapytñi, tributa quæ & alii cives pendentibus, secundum leges alterutri civitati statas. Si verò Hierapytñi in Prianis, aut Prianis in Hierapytñam quid subvexerit, immunitas esto & importanti & exportanti tum res ipsas, tum earundem fructus, sive per mare, sive per terram. Quorum verò

§ 20. εἰπὶ ταῖς χωρίαις αἱ ἑκάτερηις ἔχοντες. Ita lego pro Pricæno καρπίαι. Et Pricæno valde placuit ἔχοντες pro εἰπάνται, arreptâ hinc occasione totius edendæ Inscriptionis. Quod si verum fuerit, at describendum esset divisis vocabulis καρπίαι αἱ pro Pricæno uno καρπίαι, ut D. Lucæ x. 13. καὶ Z. pro καρπίαι.

§ 21. ὥστε δὲ, subvēt̄: formatum, ut opinari licet, à Cretico-Dorico ὥστε δὲ, idem significante ac ὥστε δὲ, unde inferius §. 25. ὥστε δὲ, idem fortè ac ὥστε δὲ.

§ 26, 28. ἔκπληξ. Subscripti in utroque versu iōta dativi finale, pariterque §. 60, omnissum incunabula marmorari.

§ 29. Πρηγγής δὲ καὶ χρήματα ἔχη προφητῶν Cretico-Dorice pro προφητῶν δὲ καὶ χρήματα ἔχη προφητῶν. Vide quod supra annotatum est ad vocem προφητῶν pag. 118. Est verò προφητῶν id ipsum quod μεθόδιον, hoc est legatum, seu comineatus publicè legatis datus, de quo similiiter cautum est à Smyrnæis, inter Marm. Oxon. pag. 3. Tοῖς δὲ προφητῶν διῖν μεθόδιον Καλλίπολις εἰ ταριχεῖς.

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ωταντως δὲ καὶ ὁ τῶν Περιασίων Κόσμος ἐργάτης εἰν 'Ιε.³⁵ babeto. Similiter & Prian-
fius Cosmus Hierapytnæ in-
curiam ito, & in concione se-
dem cum Cosmī babeto. In
Herochiis autem aliisque festis
qui præsentes fuerint eunto
apud se in vicem ad sacras
epulas, juxta atque alii cives.
Omni autem anno qui postbac
apud alterutros Cosmī suant,
velam quotannis legunto in se-
sto Hyperboiorum, & denunti-
anto sibi invicem antequam
lecturi sunt dies decem. Ut-
ri autem non legerint, aut
non denuntiaverint, qui eo-
rum in causa fuerint solvant
stateras centum; Hierapytnii
quidem Cosmī Prianorum
civitati, Prianī verò Cosmī
civitati Hierapytniorum. Si
verò quis injustè egerit, mutua
conventa violans, seu Cosmus
suat, seu privatus, licebit ei
qui voluerit litem ad commu-
ne tribunal intendere, adscri-
ptā litis cōfimatione, secun-
dum noxam quam quis comi-
serit. Et si causa vicerit, ter-
tiam mulierē partem qui litem
intenderat accipito; ac reli-
quum civitatum esto. Si au-
tem, Diis volentibus, boni
quid ab hostibus capiamus, seu
publicè expeditionem facien-
tes, seu privatim ex alterutris
aliqui; idque sive per mare,

sive per terram, fortius alterutri pro numero virorum egredientium, decimisque in ci-
vitatem propriam alterutri recipiunto. Quod autem injurias apud alterutros illatas attinet,
à quo tempore commune jus defecerit, motas de iis controversias dirimunto qui sunt cum Heni-
pante, & cum Neone Cosmī, quò utrisque civitatibus visum fuerit tribunali, dum ipsi in
Cosmatu fuerint; superque his sponsores fissi sunt, ab ea die quā posita fuerit stela, mense saltem

γ. 37. Η[σιοις] aut ita explenda est lacuna, aut Η[σιοις]. Pro Ηεχιοις facit Hesychius, cui Ηέ-
χια, Θεοδαιτια. Erant verò Θεοδαιτια festum Creticum, idem ac cæteris Græcis Διονύσια, vide infra pag.
134. Faciat tamen pro Ηεχιοις Ηεχίας mensis Creticus Junonius, infra etiam pag. 137. notatus.

γ. 40. Οι τοις αἱ. Pricæo r̄ikas, vid. supra notatum p. 124.

γ. 43. Παρεγγίλωσι. Fabrii errato pro -ιλλωσι. Ita enim Cretici pro παρεγγίλλωσι.

γ. 47. τὰ συγκέιμενα κατα. Pricæo excidit κατα, in utrâq; descriptione. Eadem γ. 48. βαλοφθω.

γ. 50. πάσῃ, causa vincat. Pricæo mendose οὐκέθη, ut etiam in præcedenti versu πιγρψα μρθ.

γ. 52. ποιηρ, i.e. cariamus primâ personâ plurali, pro quo Pricæus tertia singulari ήλει φη.

γ. 53. ἑρδόστατος. Ita scilicet in ipso lapide marmorarius, & in charaktere minusculo Pricæus. ἑρδό-
στατος, volunt Reinesius, non advertens τὸ syllabam alienam esse ab harum civitatum dialecto. Legendum
igitur ἑρδόστατος, ut apud Polybium de Lytiis Cretensibus, Hist. lib. 4. Λυτίοις ἑρδουστον τοῖς τοις παλαι-
οι παθημένοι. Mallem tamen, si laps id forte patetur, ἐπανά ἑρδοι παύτε, & ιδίαι τοῖς παρ' ικαλίγεν.

γ. 59. Οι σὺν Ειπατηι ή Νεῶν Κόσμοι, i.e. College cum Henipante & Neone Cosmī. Henipanti enim &
Neoni hoc anno propria fuere Protocoismis in Hierapytna & Prianio nomina: vide superius notata ad
vers. 1. Pricæo & Reinesio σωματιοι καινοι, populo sive universitati communiatum: viris illis doctissimis
duplē quendam Dorisnum in voce nihil καινον tanquam pro καινο, positi statuentibus.

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ταν ὑπέρ τούτων, αἵφ' ἂς καὶ ἀμέρεσις ἀ σλάλα τεθῆ, ἐμ μηνί. Υπὲρ δὲ τῶν οὐτερον ἔγνωμένων ἀδικημάτων περοδικῶν μὲν χρησθῶν, καθὼς τὸ διάγραμμα ἔχει. Περὶ δὲ τῶν δικαιοληψίων, εἰ ιπιστάμενος καὶ ἔνιαν των παρ' ἕκατέροις Κόσμου πόλιν σταυρόθων ἄγ καὶ ἀμφορέας ταῖς πόλεσι δόξῃ. Εξας τὸ ἐπικεφαλήριον τελεται, καὶ ἐγένετο καθιστάντων, αἵφ' ἂς καὶ ἀμέρεσις ἐπιστάντι ἐπὶ τὸ ἀρχεῖον, ἐν Διμήνωι. Καὶ διεγαγόντων ταῦτα ἐπ' αὐτῶν κοσμούντων καὶ ἡ τὸ δοχεῖον κοινῆ σύμβολον. Αἱ δὲ καὶ μὴ ποιητῶντις οἱ Κόσμοι καὶ θῶν γέγραπται, ἀπίστατω ἔκαστος αὐτῶν στάληρας πελίκοιλα, εἰ μὲν Ἱεραπύτνοι Κόσμοι Πριάντων ταῖς πόλεις, οἱ δὲ Πριάντοι Κόσμοι Ἱεραπύτνων ταῖς πόλεις. Αἱ δέ τι καὶ δόξῃ ἀμφορέας ταῖς πόλεσι Βαλενούμεναις ἐπὶ τῶι κοινᾶ συμφέροντι διορθώσασθαι, κύριον ἔστω τὸ διορθεῖον. Στασάντων δὲ ταῖς σλάλας οἱ ἔνεστακότες ἐκατέρη Κόσμοι ἐπ' αὐτῶν κοσμούντων, οἱ μὲν Ἱεραπύτνοι ἐν τῷ ιερῷ ταῖς Ἀθαναίας ταῖς Πολιάδος, καὶ οἱ Πριάντοι ἐν τῷ ιερῷ ταῖς Ἀθαναίας ταῖς Πολιάδος. Οπότεροι δὲ καὶ μὴ σλάλων καθὼς γέγραπται, ἀποτελούνται πρόστιμα, καθὼς καὶ περὶ τῶν δικαιῶν γέγραπται.

constituti in alterutra civitate Cosmi, dum issi in Cosmata fuerint, statuunto; Hierapynii quidem in fano Minervæ Poliadis, Priansii quoque in fano Minervæ Poliadis. Utri autem non statuerint, prout hic prescribitur, multam solvant eandem quæ in capite de juribus prescripta est.

γ. 62. ἐδὲ καὶ ἀριστερὰ τὰ λαζανά ἐν μωλαῖς, i. e. ἀ die quo posita fuerit stela mense uno. Pricæo ἐταῦτα τιθειμεναι, unde & in versicula lapidis septimo sustinuit explore τιθειμεναι.

γ. 64. Κατὰ τὸ διάγραμμα ἔχει, non aliter ac Demosthenes, Ἄτατα ἐκ τὸ διάγραμματος, i. e. secundum descriptum schema νέμαι πλάνου. Orat. περὶ συμμορίων.

γ. 66. ενιδινοι statuant, à themate Cretico ενιδινοι pro ιερίαι, voce mediâ, & terminatione Atticâ, ut antea κερδεῖται, ποιοῦσθαι, & αἴτια παρεγκόται, ενεργάται &c. apud has duas Atticâ origine civitates: ita enim à Polide Minervâ apud utrasque cultâ conjectandum.

γ. 67. Εὗται τὸ ιεραπύτνοι τιθεται. Pro quo Pricæus ἐπὶ Κελεύσι, vocem unam, ut existimo, male in duas dirimens. Idem etiam τιθεται pro τιθεται, i. e. δοται per uescio quem Doitismum interpretatur. Mihi verò τιθεται mendosè videtur incisum pro τιθεται aut τιθεται, ut supra versu 22, αἴτια pro ἀΐτια. Et per ιεραπύτνοι voce una intelligi malim id quod alias vocatur ιεραπύτνοι, i. e. sacrum ob incuntes senatores, magistratusve judices, locum suum in curia capessentes, celebrant suatum. Tale quid in hoc planè committit innuitur, quale erat Atheniensium ιεραπύτνοι βαδῆται ιεραπύτνοι θύσι. Demosth. de falsi Legat.

γ. 68. οἱ Διμήνοι, i. e. in mensum duorum spatio, male Pricæo ιεραπύτνοι. Hæsit igatur in literis intellectum certè omnem fugientibus. At Reinesio quæ vox fuerit subolebat.

γ. 70. Κατὰ τὸ δοχεῖον τοιαῦται σόμβολα, i. e. secundum placitum sententiâ communis symbolum: ubi symbolum habemus peculiaritatem, quam Harpocration ex deperditis Isæi & Demosthenis adduxit, significacione. οὐρανοῖς enim interpretatur οὐρανοῖς, ἃς ἐι ἀλλήλους ἀπόλεις διέρχεται τάτισται πολίταις, ὅστις διδέσται τῇ λαμβάνεται τα δικαια, i. e. palla, de quibus cum inter se muliū convenerit ciuitatibus, eadem ciuitibus suis injungunt, ad iura reddenda & accipienda.

γ. 74. Βαλενούμεναι, βαλενούμεναι προ quo & Pricæo, & ipsi etiam marmorario, sed mendosè.

γ. 77 ιεραπύτνοι Hierapynii. Operæ pretium est hic in ipso tabulæ fine, veram suam lectionem ciuitati Cretice afferere quod etiam ex nummis IEPAPYTT. inscriptis fecit illustrissimus Spanhemius de præf. nummij. p. 339. Aliostamen IEPAPYTHONΩΝ sub Caligula afferat Vassilius: & ita semel edidit Gruterus. Dionis lib. 36. τὰ ιεραπύτνα. Verum autem nomen & origo nominis apud Strabonem, lib. 10. οἱ ιεροὶ λαοὶ Πόλεις, ἡροὶ οἱ ιεραπύτναι οἱ πόλεις. Ibi πόλις quid significat declarat istud alterum ιεροὶ πόλεις hodiernum Grecorum, & Italorum nomen. Vide Tournefortii Liner. Ep. 1.

Fragmentum

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Fragmentum Stelarum quæ in præcedente fœdere tanquam Gortyniis & Hierapytniis posita memorantur: in quo quidem & juramentum servari contigit, quod Gortyni, adeoque & Priansii, Hierapytniis præstatere tenebantur, è Grutero, p. xv. repertum in Cretâ insulâ.

... . Αι δέ τι καὶ δόξη Βαλσορδίους ἔπει
τῷ κοινῷ συμφέροντι ἀπειδοσθῶσι, οὐ εἰπεῖν,
ηὐ συνάλεν, μή ενορκού ἔσω. "Ο, τι ἐγένετο
ψυχρῷ ενορκόντε ἔσω, καὶ ἔνοιον.

..... Si vixum fuerit in communione bonum consilientibus rectius quid statuere; aut demere, aut inferere; neu statim virtute juramenti id ratum esto. Quocunque verò scriperimus, virtute & juramenti & libamenti id ratum esto.

Juramentum.

Juro Vestam, & AOPATRION, & Jovem Diellam, & Junonem, & Minervam Oleriam, & Minervam Poliada, & Minervam Samoniam, & Apollinem Pythium, & Latonam, & Dianam, & Martem, & Venerem, & Curetas, & Corybantas, & Deos Deasque omnes: Verè: Ego benevolentiam servabo universis Hierapytniis in emne avum, sincerè & absque dolo; cunctaque ac illi amicum babebo atque inimicum; eque territorio ubi & universi Hierapytni, totis viribus belligerabo; judicia quoque subibo, maneboque in his conventis; neve quicquam imminuam in hoc communis civitatis fædere scriptorum, neque verbo, neque facto; neque alicui alii id permittam volens sciensque quocunque aut commento, aut prætextu. Si verò corum quæ juravi quid pejeravero, Deos quos juravi mihi iratos imprecor; meque pessimo exitio diuit; quin neque terra neque arbores fructum ferant; neque feminæ secundum naturam pariant; bello denique devinear. Bene verò jurantibus Deos nobis fore propitios, & bona frumenta omnia.

"Ορκός.

'Ομνώ τὰν Ἐσίαν, καὶ τὸ ΑΟΡΑΤΡΙΟΝ (sic) καὶ Ζῆνα Δικαιον, καὶ Ηερον, καὶ Αθανᾶταν Ωλεγίαν, καὶ Αθανᾶταν Πολιάδα, καὶ Αθανᾶταν Σαρανίαν, καὶ Ατόλλων Πούθιον, καὶ Λαζάρ, καὶ Αργειον, καὶ Αρεα, καὶ Αφροδίταν, καὶ Καρῆτας, καὶ Κύρβαντας, καὶ Θεος πάντας καὶ πάσας. (1) Ήματίαν Εγώ δινότω τοις ἐπιώσας Ιεροπύνησις τὸ ἄπαντα γένεν, ἀπλόως καὶ ἀδόλως, καὶ τὸ αὐτὸν φίλον καὶ ἐχθρὸν ἔχω, καὶ τολμηρῶν διπλῶν καὶ κάρεων πάντας τοὺς συκερδόμοις, καὶ τὸ κακολεκτήρων γέδεν τὸ συτάδειο πολιτεία γεγεγραμμένων, ἔτε λόγῳ, ἔτε ἔργῳ, ὅδε ἄλλα τὸ πτερέψων ἐκάνει καὶ γνώσκων παραδοσίερετο γέδεμία, ὅδε τρόπῳ γέδε. νί. Αι δέ τι ἐπιεργήσαμε τὸ ἄμοσα, καὶ τὸ σιωπέμαν, τὸ τε Θεὸς τὸς ἄμοσα ἐμμαίνεται ήμεν, καὶ ἐξόλλοντος κακίσσων ὀλέθρῳ, καὶ μήτε γάνμήτε δένδρα καρότον Φέρεν, μήτε γυανίκας τίθεν καὶ Φύσιον, τῷτε τολμέρων νικεοδή. Ενορκῶστι τὸ ἄριν τὸ τε Θεὸς ἰδεοντι, καὶ γίνεσθε πάντα ἀγαθά.

(1) Ήματία. i. e. Amen. Vide pag. 136.

Altera quam exhibemus Tabula non tam edita est Venetiis, quām privatim ibi typis data, idque in folio tantummodo separato. Ergo è paucis quæ nunc supersunt exemplaribus unum mihi benignissimè transmisit reverendus Vir. D. Georgius Harbin, literarum, si quis alias, divinarum & humanarum sciens. Sed ad corrigenda tot & tanta sphalmeta, utendum erat Criticâ severiore, nonnunquam etiam & conjecturâ, quām promente & more nostro longè audaciore. Adeò miseris modis & qui primus exscriptit monumentum, & qui prelo postea paravit, literas ubique permutando, transponendo, demendo, interserendo, verba atque sensa perturbaverant. Idem & Seldeno vixum, cuius olim hoc ipsum fuerat, quo nunc utimur exemplari: unde etiam & partem insequentis juramenti præclaro de Synedriis operi inseruit, lib. 2. cap. xi. Joanni quoque Meursio, vigilis olim Creticis intento, in animo erat fœdus integrum exhibere. Sed quod vir ille præstantissimus morte præventus non perfecit reliquum opus nunc aggredimur; folium scilicet Venetum aliquatenus pro tenuitate nostrâ emendare, & emendatum Latinè vertere, exceptis quæ de finibus habentur. Hæc enim omnem versionem respnuunt; emendationem vix ullam patiuntur. Vide Meursium de Cretâ, p. 42.

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Tabula Fœderum inter duos Cretæ insulæ populos Latios & Olontios è marmore vetusto, quo rusticus quidam in agro Cydonensi non procul à Salinis mensa in vicem utebatur, quod illustrissimus & excellentissimus D.D. Franciscus Molinus dum Cretæ proconsulari imperio præcesset, misit ad illustrissimum & excellentissimum D.D. Dominicum Molinum fratrem Senatorem amplissimum. Creta verò præfuit Molinus, A. D. 1645.

Ἄγαθὰ τύχα καὶ ἐπὶ σιληνοῖς. Σωτεῖον
Λάτιον καὶ Ολόνιον καὶ [σωτεῖον] ἐν Λαζή
θῆ τὸ Κόσμων τὸ σωτὴρικόν τῷ
μένος [Διος] ἀλλοίσια τελα καὶ Δι, ἐν δὲ
Ολίνι Πτη τὸ [αιτιανὸν] σωτὴρικόν τῷ
Ἀρεσιον[Θεο] μένος Εἰλαστινία Δι[φίλιας]
καὶ συμμάχος ἀλλάλιος ἵστορικον αὐ-
πλοῖας καὶ ὁδῶν εἰς τὸ σάντα χερόν ΚΑΙ
ΑΠ . . . ΚΑΙ . . . ΑΘΡΟΝΕΣ ΗΝ
ΚΑΙΤΙΣΚΕΜΒΕΗΙΣΤΑΝΤΩΝ
ΛΑΤΙΩΝΧΩΡΑΝ Η ΑΠ ΟΤΑΜΝΗ-
ΤΑΙΧΩΡΑΣΤΑΣΑΛΑΤΙΩΝΗΦΟΥ
ΡΙΑ ΛΑΜΒΑΝΗΤΑΙ . . .
. . . . ΑΠ ΟΦΑΣΙΣΤΩΣΠΑΝΤΑΣ
. . . . ΠΟΛΕΜΕΟΝΤΑΣΑΠΟΧ
ΩΡΑΣ ΩΝΧΩΡΑΝΛΑΜΒΑ
ΝΗΤΑΙ ΟΗΤΑΙ ΑΠ Ο
ΦΑΣΙΣ ΠΟΛΕΜΙΟΝ
ΠΑΝΤΑΠΟΛΕΩΝ. Τῷ Λατίῳ ἡ τῷ
Ολοντίῳ τῷ βαλορόφῳ [μείοντας ἡμίν] θεῖ-
ναν καὶ σύνθετον τοῦτον τὸν εἰκάσια τῷ
τίτλῳ. Οἱ Κέσμοι ἐπὶ αὐτῶν Κοσμούλων
τοῦτον . . . (1) ἐν θεοδασίοις πολεμή-
λλοντες. Διὸν τε [ἀλλαλοις] περιπτεν καὶ
ποτε μελλοντικαὶ αναγνώσκεν τὸν σωτήκαν,
καὶ τὰς αὐγέλας ἐξορίζεν. Εἰ δὲ μὴ ἐξο-
ρίζοντες οἱ Λάτιοι Κέσμοι, η μὴ πολεμή-
λλοντες τὸν ανάγνωσιν τὰς σωτήκας, η
μὴ αναβάνοντες, διοτεστάντων οἱ Κέσμοι
εκατὸν ἀργυρέων σατηνῆς ἔκαλον πίσι Ολόνιοις.
Πταιτοις γέ καὶ οἱ Ολόνιοι, εἰ μὴ ἐξορίζοντες
τὰς αὐγέλας, η μὴ πολεμήλλοντες, η μὴ αγ-
νώσκοντες τὸν σωτήκαν, διπλεστάντων οἱ Κέσμοι
εκατὸν ἀργυρουρίων σατηνῆς ἔκαλον πίσι Λάτιοις.
Εἰ καὶ Κέσμοι ἐλθὺ Λάτιοι εἰς Ολόνια
η Ολόνιοι εἰς Λάτιον, πότε εἴς τε πολύταν-
τον καὶ αὐδοντον εἴς ποικιλὴν ἔρτωσιν. Αἱ δὲ
πλέοντες ἔρποιν Λάτιοι Κέσμοι [εἰς Ολόνια
η] Ολόνιοι εἰς Λάτιον, παρεῖλερον ηδῶν, ἐ-
πη καὶ ιδίωται. Επιτέλων οἱ Πρεσβύτεροι οἱ
Πτη τοῦριας οἱ εὐαγγελικοὶ ἐρκύνεοντες καὶ ἥνθι-
μοις τὰς πλεύτικας πότες, καὶ τὰ αλλα-
παντα χερήματα, (2) ἐν δὲ τῷ οὖτι τὰς ξενικὰς

Bonā cum Fortuna, quodque in salutem ver-
tat. Fœdus inierunt Latii & Olontii, & vi-
cissim placitis firmarunt, in Lato quidem sub
Cosmī cum Pylero F. . . . mensis . . . αλλοῖσι
die decimā tertiatā, in Olonte verò sub Cosmī
cum Sophrōnico F. Aristionis mensis Eleusinii
die decima; amicos & bellū confortes alterutris
se invicem permanuros, sincerū & absque dolo
malo, in omne ævum.

si quis impetum fecerit in Latiorum territorio
um — ejusve aut castella, aut — ce-
perit; — statim — omnes Olontios ab
eorum territorio in auxilium venturos. Et si
quis Olontiorum territorium aut ceperit, aut
— statim ad futuros Latios, ad arcendum
omnem hostem civitatum. Latio atque Olon-
tio sic volenti participationem fore tum divi-
norū tum humauorum omnium in alterutra
civitate. Cosmī, dum ipso in Cosmatu fuerint,
circumeant in Theodosiis tempus legendi fœ-
deris denuntiantes. Alteri etiam ad alteros vi-
cissim mittunto, quo tempore fœdus sunt le-
turi, & puerorum greges juramento adacturi.
Si verò non adegerint Latii Cosmī, aut non de-
nuntiaverint legendum fœdus, aut non legerint,
persolvat Olontius unusquisque Cosmī argenteos
stateras centum. Similiter autem & Olontii,
si greges juramento non adegerint, aut non de-
nuntiaverint, aut non legerint fœdus, persolvant
Latii Cosmī unusquisque argenteos stateras
centum. Si Cosmī Latii Olonta, aut
Olontius Laton venerit, tunc & ad Prytanē-
um, & sacras virorum epulas in pompa acce-
dant. Si autem plures Olonta venerint Latii
Cosmī, aut Laton Olontii, simul sedent, quo
loco sedent & privati. Alterutrinque superven-
iant seniores qui legum æquitati præsident,
sætoque examine pares juxta pares collocanto;
nt de omnibus aliis statuentes, ita & de epu-
lis quæ propter viam fient hospitalibus. Si
autem quis quem injuriat in his vialibus affec-
tit, solvat sextuplum. Ut autem de ceteris re-

(1) Τοῦτο οὐδὲν; hoc est apud Cretenses διονυσίος. Θεοδοσίος enim Hesychio διονυσός.

(2) Τοῦτο τοῦτο τοῦτο οὐδὲν; οὐδὲν; epulas hospitalis propter viam. Legatus & advenis illustrissimis peregrinè ve-
rentibus aut proficilientibus veteres propter viam lautia præbuerunt: præcipue Cretenses, apud quos una
solus ad urbem ducens via ξενία proinde vocabatur; atque hinc est quod de Cretensis dixit Strabo, ξε-
νίας

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Φοίνις. Άι δέ τις τινα ἀδικήσει ἐν ταις ταις ταῖς ὁδοῖς, διπλασιάτω εὔπιπλα. Τὰ πρεστάτω εἴη δικαιῶσι οἱ κεράπαι⁽³⁾ καὶ επιγαρίας ἀλλάδαις. Κύριον δὲ πρότι τὸν τε Λάτιον ἐν Ὀλένι, ποτὸν τὸν Ὁλόνιον, καὶ Ὁλόνιον ἐν Λατῷ ποτὸν τὸν Λάτιον, καὶ πωλεῖνται μὲν τὰ χρεάψια, καὶ αὐτούρδυν, καὶ δανείζονται καὶ δανείζονται, καὶ τὰ ἄλλα πώλεια σωαλλάτεινται καὶ ταῖς ταύταις νόμαις τὰς ἑκάτερας καρδίας. Ερπίνων δὲ εἰς τὰς ἱερὰς εἰ μὴ Λάτιοι εἰς Ὀλένια εἰς τὰ [Θεο] δάσια καὶ εἰς τὸν Ἀρρύλα... Ὡσαίτως καὶ Ὁλόνιοι [εἰς Λαταν] ἐν ταῖς θυσίαις μέλαινας νομιζόνται. Εἰ δέ τι καὶ δέξῃ ταῖς πώλεσι⁽⁴⁾ [βαλδουαριθμάς] χεῖσιρουν λίθῳ θηριόψιαι,⁽⁵⁾ ἔνοινοι καὶ ἔνορκοι θύμῳ· οὕτω δὲ καὶ ἔξελοινοι μὴ επιχειρίσαντες, μῆτε ἔνορκον μῆτε ἔνοινον. Αναχειψιαι καὶ ταῖς σωθήκανταῖς [εἰς λίθον] ταν θέμαρι ἐκάπεροι εἰς τὰς ιδίας πώλεις, οἱ δὲ Λάτιοι εἰς τῷ ναῷ Ποσειδῶνος καὶ Ὁλόνιοι εἰς τῷ ιερῷ τῶν Ζεύδων τῶν Ταλλαίων. Θέρμη δὲ καὶ ἄλλαν σάλαιναν [κοινά] μὲν εἰς Κνωτῷ εἰς τῷ ιερῷ τῶν Απέλλων⁽⁶⁾ τῶν Δελφινίων, καὶ ταῖς σωθήκανταῖς εἰς ταῖς πώλεις εἰς τῷ ιερῷ τᾶς... [ΠΑΝΤΟΓΙΟΝ sic pro] πωλεῖσιν τὸν δερπελικῶν σωρεταν.

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bus, ita est de connubiosis iudices apud alterutros jus dicunto. Latium autem in Olonte codens atque Olontius bono jure fore, Olontium item in Lato codem atque Latius, sed veidentem per interpositas debiti cautiones & ementem, sacerori quoque dantem & accipientem, & quecunque alia permutantem secundum leges hanc in parte alterutri civitati statas. Accedant autem ad festa, Latii quidem apud Olonta ad Theodæsiā, & arcana Cereris: Similiter verò & Olontii apud Laton, in iis præcipe facris quae legitima habentur. Si autem flacuerit civitatibus in commune consilientibus utile aliquid lapidibus inferibere, id virtute libamenti & jurementi ratum fore. Quodcumque autem ademerint, aut non inscriperint, id neque libamenti neque juramenti vim habere. Descriptum sedus reserant in lapidein, quem ponant alterutri in urbe propria, Latii scilicet in templo Neptuni, & Olontii in fano Jovis Tallei. Ponant autem aliam quoque stelam in urbe Cnofo, in templo Apollinis Delphini.. sedusque... in alterutra urbe in templo Divi.... receptaculum fugitivorum servorum.

FINES LATIORUM CIVITATIS.

ΑΠΟ ΘΑΛΑΣΣΑΣ ΑΜ ΠΟΤΑΜΟΝ ΤΟΝ.... ΚΑΙ ΕΠΙ ΤΩΝ ΥΠΠΑΓΡΑΝ ΚΗΣ ΤΟΝ ΒΕΓΚΑΣΟΝ ΚΑΙ ΑΠΟ ΤΑΣ ΕΠΙΤΟΔΑΣ ΤΩ ΒΕΓΚΑΣΩ ΕΚ ΤΑΣ ΠΕΤΡΑΣ ΠΕΡΙ ΑΜΠΕΤΙΞ ΕΣ ΤΑΝ ΑΛΛΑΝ ΠΕΤΡΑΝ ΑΙ ΑΤΑΙΝΙΑ ΠΑΡΑΤΕΡΩ ΚΑΙ ΤΟΥΤΩ ΤΩ ΕΠΙ ΤΑΣ ΚΕΦΑΛΑΣ ΤΑΝΝΑΠΑΝ ΤΩΣ ΕΡΕΙΠΙΩΝΑΣ ΜΕΣΑΣ ΕΣ ΤΑΝ ΚΕΦΑΛΑΝ ΤΑΝ ΕΠΑΝΩ ΤΣΕΡΜΑ ΚΑΙ ΠΕΡΙ ΑΜΠΕΤΙΞ ΕΠΙ ΤΟ ΑΝΤΡΟΝ ΚΑΙ ΕΣ ΤΑΝ ΟΔΟΝ ΤΑΝ ΔΙΑΛΑΞΟΝ ΑΜΠΕΤΙΞ ΕΠΙ ΤΟ ΑΝΤΡΟΝ.... ΑΓΟΥΣΑΝ ΚΗΣ ΤΟΝ ΘΙΝΟΜΑΡΟΝ ΚΗΣ ΤΑΝ ΚΕΦΑΛΑΝ ΚΑΤΩ ΤΩ ΚΝΑΦΩ ΚΑΙ ΤΟΥΤΩ ΕΣ ΤΑΝ ΠΕΤΡΑΝ ΕΣ ΤΟΝ ΠΑΧΥΝ ΑΜΟΝ ΕΣ ΤΑΝ ΣΚΟΠΑΝ ΚΑΙ ΤΟΥΤΩ ΕΠΙ ΤΟ ΕΞΕΔΡΙΟΝ ΤΟ ΚΑΤΑ ΝΟΤΙΑΙΟΝ ΚΑΙ ΕΝΤΙ ΚΑΙ ΕΣ ΤΑΝ ΚΑΤΩ ΑΛΙΚΑΝ ΚΗΣ ΤΑΝ ΕΠΑΝΩ ΩΙΑΝ ΤΑΣ ΠΕΤΡΑΣ ΚΗΣ ΤΟΝ ΡΟΙΝΟΠΑ ΚΗΣ ΤΑΝ ΥΠΙΑΣΙΑΝ ΚΗΣ ΤΑΝ ΟΔΟΝ

μειδιατοί, i. e. humi convivantur. Non dissimile erat Herculi Sancto proficisciendi gartiū sacrificium, ad quod allusit Plautus, Rud. Act. 1. sc. 2. Propter viam illi sunt vocati ad prandium.

(3) καὶ ιπτυγαρίας. Non immixtū de jure circa connubia dicundo hic eaveunt, quia, ut inquit Strabo, γανῆς μέραι πάντες ιπτυγαρίαι παρ' αὐτοῖς οἱ ζεῦτες καὶ τοῖς θεοῖς εἰς τοὺς παῖδες σύγιαν επεισθῆσι. Uniusversi apud Cretenses coguntur uxoris ducere, qui codem tempore ex puerorum grege exterruntur, lib. ro. Par quoque Romanorum de matitandis ordinibus lex, sed molesta admodum & ferax contentionum fuit.

(4) βαλδουαριθμάς, κ. τ. λ. hæc nos unciis inclusa, jubente sensu, & saventibus parallelis formulis, testiūtum ex aliis hoc modo misere corruptis & transpositis, ΚΟΛΕΤΣΑΙ ΕΝΑΙΣΙΜΟΝ ΕΣΘΩΝ ΕΠΙΓΡΑΦΑΙ ΟΤΙΔΑΝ ΚΕΞΕΛΩ. ΕΝ ΜΗΤΕ ΕΝΟΙΚΟΝ ΜΗΤΕ ΕΝΟΙΝΟΝ ΜΗ ΕΠΙ ΡΑΦΙΕΝ ΟΙΝΟΝ ΚΑΙ ΕΝΟΙΚΟΝ ΕΙΜΕΝ. --- Vide Fragmentum paginæ 133.

(5) θερμη. hoc est ιπτυγαρία. Etentim in sedera jurantes vino simul libaverunt, juxta Homericum Odyss. 288. Θερμη δὲ είσι ίμι αὐτοὶ λαπτιδες. Cum autem statim posset occurrit ευθέατα, ENOINON, i.e. gerim potius ENOIKON, aut, ut sequentia melius cohærent, ΕΣ ΛΙΘΟΝ.

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ΟΡΟΙ ΛΑΤΙΩΝ ΠΟΤΙ ΟΛΟΝΤΙΩΣ. *LATIORUM OLONTIOS versus FINES.*
ΑΠΟ ΘΑΛΑΣΣΑΣ ΕΣ ΗΛΥΜΟΝ ΑΝ ΡΑΧΙΝ ΕΠΙΤΟ ΑΡΧΑΙΟΝ ΑΦΡΟ-
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Ομώσαι τάς Λατίων της 'Ολοντίου καὶ τάς Ολοντίας της Λατίων της οὐσογέζεμφρόν
ἔρχουν.

ΟΡΚΟΣ ΛΑΤΙΩΝ.

'Ομνέα τάν Εσίαν καὶ τὸ Ζῶνα τὸ Κρητοθράσ
καὶ τὰν Ἡραν καὶ τὸ Ζῶνα τὸ Ταλλαῖον καὶ τὸ Πισιδάνη καὶ τὰν Ἀμφιλέρταν, καὶ τὰν Λα-
τάν καὶ Ἀξεμίν καὶ Αρεαν καὶ τὰν Ἀφρο-
δίταν καὶ τὰν Ἐλευσίναν καὶ τὰν Βελό-
μαρξίν καὶ Ἐγκανάνην Καρδητας καὶ Νύμφας.
καὶ τὰς ἄλλας Σιάν πάντας καὶ πάσας.
(1) Ἡμᾶν Ἐγαν της Ολοντίους ἐμμένων τα-
φιλία καὶ συμμαχία καὶ ιστοπολίεια, καὶ
της ἔρχοις ἐμμένων καὶ Βοαθροῖς ἀπλέως
καὶ αδόλως καὶ τῷ γαν καὶ τῷ θάλασσαν.
Καὶ εἴ τις καὶ πολεμίων Ολοντίους ή ἐφέστη
ἐπὶ πόλιν, ή ἐπὶ χώραν, ή ἐπ' (2) ἀρέια, ή λι-
μένας τὰς της Ολοντίων, καὶ τὸ προλεπτιῶ
γέτε εὐ πολέμω φέτε εὐ εἰρήνα, ἀλλ' ἐμμε-
νῶν εὐ πολυγενεῖδροις ἔρχοις, δίκας τε καὶ
πρέξεις διδῶσαι καθάς καὶ σωθεόμεθα,
σύρκιοντι μὴ διδῶσαι πολλά καὶ αγαθά,
ιφορκέοντι δὲ τὰ εὐανθία.

ΟΡΚΟΣ ΟΛΟΝΤΙΩΝ Ο ΑΥΤΟΣ

(1) Ἡμᾶς, i. e. Verē, Græcē ἀλητῶς, ὅλας, πιπισμένως Post inventum autem accentuum Græcanicorum usum vox ερει à Grammaticis in duo, hoc est δὲ μετ' H. pessimè discrepta est. Est enim adverbium jurandi, ab Hebreo οὐν purissimè traductum, quod & juramentorum formulū præfixum originem dedit vocabulo Græco OMNIMI. (2) ἀρέα. Supra lin. 7, cum duplicit ε, εἰς ἀρέα i.e. Est igitur vox Dorico-Cretica, unde Latinè horreum. Hesychio ἀρέα seu ἀρέα, φυλακήρα, quod tamen in serie inter voces ερέα & ερέη planè ερέη legendum.

ΕΠΙ

JURAMENTUM LATIORUM.

Juro Vestam, & Jovem in Cretā genitum,
& Junonem, & Jovem Tallænum, & Nerp-
tunum, & Amphitriten, & Latonam, & Di-
anam, & Martem, & Venerem, & Eleusinen,
& Britomartin, & Mercurium, & Curetas,
& Nymphas, & alios Deos. Deasque omnes:
Verē: Ego cum Olontiis in amicitia permane-
bo & in forte belli, & in communi civitatis
jure; juramentis etiam manebo, & auxilia-
bor sincerè, & absque dolo per terram & per
mare. Et si quis hostili more Olontios invase-
rit per urbem, aut per territorium aut per
borrea, aut per portus ad Olontios pertinentes,
egoque neque in bello neque in pace deseruerim,
sed juramentis mutuo datis manserim, jura-
queque & saltæ secundum conventa præsite-
rim; tum bene mibi juranti multa quidem &
bona provenire, pejeranti autem contraria.

IDEM ET OLONTIORUM JURAMENTUM.

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Fæderis inter Latios & Olontios ampliatio.

Ἐπί Κόσμων μὲν τὸ σῶμα Μαινάρ τῷ Χαρ-
νητάδα μήνος ἔτια Θερμολαία δεκάτᾳ, ἐν
τῷ Ολόνῃ ἐπὶ τὸ σῶμα Κερτίνων τῷ Αρετονύ-
μω μήνος⁽⁶⁾ Ἡραῖς δεκάτᾳ, ἕδηζε Λα-
τίοις καὶ Ολοντίοις κοινὰ βαλσαριθμοῖς προ-
σέμφροντος τὰν φιλίαν καὶ συμμαχίαν καὶ
ισοπολιτείαν καὶ πρὸς τὰλλα φιλάνθρωπα
τὰ γεγονότα τῷ πόλεσι, καὶ τὰ νῦν δοξάντα
προστρέψαντος τὰς προϋπαρχόσας αὐ-
τοῖς σάλας. χειρομάρτια καὶ συμφέροντα,
ὅπως μᾶλλον αὔξητοι φιλία.

Sub Cojnis quidem cum Mænæo Chænetadæ
F. mensis . . . θερμολαία die decimæ, in O-
lonte autem sub ijsdem cum Cratino Aristony-
mii F. mensis Heræti die decimæ, placuit La-
tios & Olontios in commune consulentibus am-
pliari amicitiam & consortium belli & com-
mune ius civitatis, & quæcunque inter ci-
vitates alia benevolia intercessere: Quæque nunc
placuerint describere in stelis apud ipsos prius
existentibus, utpote utilia & conducibilia, ut
magis angeatur amicitia.

Dolendum equidem quod per tot annos quibus serenissima Venetum Respublica
Cretæ insulæ imperitavit, tam pauca veterum Cretensium monumenta Dominam ur-
bem advehenterentur. Tanto pluris igitur faciendum, quod in Museo nunc exstat Tar-
visiano, autographum marmor Allariticum, olim quidem à Gruteto p. xv. sed &
denuò anno 1702 à R. D. Montfauconio, in Diario Italico publicatum. Hoc nos,
nequid hic desit antiquorum lapidum Cretensium, coronidis loco nunc apponimus;
sed ex collatis duobus exemplaribus textu aliquantulum correcto, & malè natâ Mont-
fauconii versione incidi, ut necesse erat, redditâ. Prævit decretum Pariorum ad Al-
lariotas Cretæ populos de Asylo, deque amicitia renovandâ missum. His sic respon-
sum ab Allariotis: qui quidem Stephano Ἀλλαριώτου, dum urbs ipsa ἀλλωχεῖα, sed men-
dosè, ut nunc videmus, appellatur.

*Ἀλλαριώται οἱ Κέσμοις καὶ ἀπόλεις Παρέ-
αν τὰ πόλει καὶ τῷ δάμῳ χαίρεν. Παρε-
θνομένων τῷ πρεσβύτερῳ αἵμε Φάνιος τε
καὶ Δόρκος, οὓς ἀπετείλατε πρεσβύτεροι
πεὶ τῷ [ἀ]σύλῳ ποθ' αἵμε, καὶ ἀνανεωσα-
μένων αὐτῶν εἰς τῷ πρεσβύτεια καὶ τῷ Ψῆφο-
μα πὸ παρέ ύμῶν τὰν τε φιλίαν καὶ τὰν δέ-
νοιαν τὰν ἴστράχησαν τῷ πόλεσι ποθ' ἀλ-
λάλιας θλεφυλάττεν. Ἐπί Κόσμων τῶν
ποθε Φιλομέροιο τῷ Εὐθυμάχῳ, εἴγαδε τύ-
χα δεδοχθαί Ἀλλαριώταν τοὺς Κέσμοις
καὶ τὰ πόλει, ἐπανίσται μὲν τῷ δάμον τῷ
Παρέων, ὅτι θλεφυλάττει τὰν φιλίαν καὶ
τὰν ευνοιαν προς τὰν πόλειν τὰν αἱράν· καὶ
ταῦτα ἡ γένεσις ποτε παρέων τὰν φιλίαν
καὶ τὰν ευνοιαν ποτε Ἀλλαριώται, ὅπως
Φαινάμεθα τὰ ὄμοια ποτε προαιρεθμόροις
αἵμεσι σωληνότες. Εἰρητὸν ἡ Αλλαριώταις
καὶ Παρέων ισοπολιτέαν, μετέχωσιν τῷ τῷ Αλ-
λαριώτα ἐπὶ Πάρῳ καὶ⁽¹⁾ θεινῶν καὶ ἀνθρω-
πίνων ποτε ποτε καὶ τῷ Παρέῳ εἰς Αλλα-
ριώτα μετέχωσι καὶ θεινῶν καὶ ἀνθρωπίνων.
Εἳναν σωδειὴ ταῦτα τῷ δάμῳ τῷ Παρέῳ
αναγεγράψαντας αἱ πόλεις αἱμοφόρεραι εἰς σά-

Allariotarum Cosmi civitasque Pariorum se-
natui atque populo salutem. Quandoquidem
huc pervenerunt legati ad nos Phanis atque
Dorus, quos missis de Asylo ad nos manda-
ta delatueros; iisque, juxta decretum vestrum,
de novo in legatione sunt profecti amicitiam
eam atque benevolentiam conservare, quæ ci-
vitatibus inter se mutud intercesserit: Sub col-
legis cum Philombro Euthymachi F. Cosmis,
bonâ cum Fortunâ placere Cosmis & civitati
Allariotarum, ut laudetur quidem populus
Pariorum, eo quod conservet amicitiam & be-
nevolentiam erga civitatem nostram; eodem
autem modo subsistere etiam apud Allariotas,
erga Parios amicitiam atque benevolentiam;
ut palam simus iis, qui id priores exoptaverunt,
par officium persolventes. Allariotis autem
Pariorumque æqualem fore civitatem; Allario-
tæ scilicet in Paro tum divinorum tum huma-
norum participant: Similiter autem & Pa-
rio participant in Allariâ tum divinorum tum
humorū. Hæc si mutud placent populo
Pariorum, describunto ambæ civitates in stelâ

⁽⁶⁾ Μενὲς Ἡραῖος, mensis Herae, seu Junonio, ab Ἡρα, i. e. Junone, postea Junio, detritis duabus literis, à
Romanis dicto, quem tamen prisci Latini, Aricini Prænestrinique, Junonium dixerunt, Macrob. sat. 1.12. &c.
Ovid. Fast. vi. 61. Et illis mensis Junoniis, &c.

⁽¹⁾ Ne quis dubitet de antiquâ voce Θεινῶν, sciat esse Æolicum, interposito digamma, Θεινῶν, olim scrip-
tum, unde emersit Latinum divinus, ut ἡ Θεινῶν, Deus.

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λαν λιθίνων, και ανθίνων Πάρεισι μὴ εἰς τὸ lapideā, & reponunto Parii quidem in fano Cereris, Allariotæ autem in fano Apollinis. Eademque ad salutem & incolumentatam ambarum civitatum vertant. Siquid autem vobis aut addere aut demere vijum fuerit, per gratum nobis feceritis. Valete.

ιερὸν τὰς Δάμαλης, Ἀλλαερῶται ἢ εἰς τὸ ιερὸν Ἀπόλλωνος. Ταῦτα ἢ τίναι ἐφ' ὑγεία καὶ σωτηρίᾳ τῶν πόλεων αἴρουσιν. Εὖν δὲ τι φαινεῖται μέρος προσθέντων αὐτοῖς. Εἴρωσθε.

Habes, benigne Lector, quindecim Cretensium populorum acta. Quæ si crearent fortè sitini eruditis & alia plura ex antiquis sertibus hauriendi; adeunda sunt Politica Aristotelis, sparsa per Polybium historica, Strabonis quoque lib. 10. Geographica, & quæ reliqua sunt Dionis, ubi mutilatus incipit liber 36. Sed & optimè Neotericorum par mirabile, auctor de Republica Cretensium Ubbo Emmius, & de Cretâ Joannes Meursius, cœci itineris comites accessentur. Iis enim ducibus, per Cretam insulam, uti & per reliquam universam Græciam iter amoenissime capiendum. Sed valeat tandem Creta, magno mortalibus exemplo in omne ævum futura. Ab initio enim maris imperio potentissima, optimis quoque legibus & institutis gubernata, pertraxit in admiracionem sui summos viros Lycurgum & Pythagoram. Postea conversis moribus mentiendo, surando, piraticam faciendo odio per orbem suit. A Romanis igitur multata est antiquissimâ libertate, & quæ antehac neque Persis neque Græcis servierat, provincia facta elanguit. Itaque sub Cœsaribus, quæ reliquæ erant ex centum urbibus in quandam communilitatis speciem coaluerunt: quod testantur nummi Imperatorii KOINON KRHTΩΝ inscripti. Èâ ratione & Titus KRHTΩΝ, i.e. Cretensium episcopus, non unius aliquujus in Cretâ civitatis, ab antiquis nominatus suit. Titi verò successoribus, Cretæ metropolitis dictis, subditæ suæ sedes episcopales, in novellâ Imp. Leonis cognomine Philosophi, hoc ordine recensitæ: Γορτύν, Κρωσός, Αρκαδία, Χερρόνησος, Αυλοσόταμος, Αγεα, Λάμπη, Κυδωνία, Ιερά Πίτρα, Σίται, Κλασμός, seculo nono exeunte. Hodie vicatim habitatur sub Turcico jugo insula, neque plus quam tribus urbibus, Candia, Canea, Rhetymo.

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SU ADET operis ratio ut Teiis superiùs traditis succedant diversæ quidem, sed nec inferioris notæ monumenta, quæ Attalica jure appellaveris. Product enim originem à Regibus Asiae Pergamenis; &, quod palmarium est, anno Attali Philadelphi septimo, hoc est ante Christum 152, clarissimo ætatis indicio insigniuntur. Pertinent autem ad Dionysiacos illos, hoc est scenicos artifices, quorum prævitt pag. 107. in decreto Ætolorum mentio; quibusque idem tunc honos ab Ætolis qui populo Teiorum habitus. Mox verò jussu ac auctoritate ⁽¹⁾ regum Pergamenorum, queis pænè omnis cis Taurum Asia post Antiochum debellatum paruit, in sodalitia legitimè coacti vicina Teo loca infederunt; ibique pro variis

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variis ipsorum cœtibus, varias sibi indiderant appellaciones. Duo ex eo genere fuere Κοινὸν τῶν Ἀτταλισῶν, & Κοινὸν τῆς Ἐχῖνες Συμμοστάς, i. e. *Commune Attalistarum*, & *Commune Sodalitii ab Echino dicti*. Damus igitur lapides, alios quidem fractos, alios satis integros, luctulentum rei, si hæc super è Strabone addideris, testimonium.

“ Lebedi (ut testatur ille lib. 14.) sedes erat & domicilium synodo

“ Dionysiakorum Artificum, qui solennes per Ioniām & inde ad

“ Hellespontum usque ludos pretio conducti peragebant. Teos, (à

“ Lebedo stadiis centum viginti distans) antea sedes eorum fuerat.

“ Sed cum incidisset seditio, Ephesum confugerunt. Cumque

“ Attalus eos in Myonnesum traduxisset, quæ est inter Teon &

“ Lebedum; missis legatis Teii à Romanis petiverunt, ne pro ni-

“ hilo habere velint munitum iri ipsis Myonnesum. Ita illi Le-

“ bedum commigraverunt; Lebediis illos, quamquam tumultuo-

“ sum, & (ut Straboni aliás observatum) infidum hominum ge-

“ nus, ob ⁽¹⁾ incolarum penuriam recipientibus. Fixi igitur sedi-

bus artifices, opibus quoque & tutelâ regiâ gloriantes, hujusmodi

honores viris de se bene meritis detulerunt. Moti autem loco pri-

mo lapides, ad construenda ut ferè fit sepulchra, in cœmeteriis ho-

die visuntur prope Sivérbiſſar & Era-kí; quæ duo sunt cis Teum &

Lebedum, à Smyrnâ iter facientibus, in Isthmo Erythræo oppida.

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ΓΝΩΜΗ ΤΟΥ ΚΟΙΝΟΥ ΤΩΝ ΑΤΤΑΛΙΣΤΩΝ ΕΠΕΙΔΗ ΟΝΕΟΣ
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Psephisma Attalistarum.

Γνώμη τῆς Κοινῆς τῷ Ἀτταλίστῶν. *Decretum communitatis Attalistarum.* Quandoquidem synodi juvenis Crato Zotichi F. dum vivet multa & magna indicia fecerit sive erga Attalistas benevolentiae, tum privatim respectu singulorum, tum communiter respectu omnium sub ipso aggregatorum & posteriorum, plurimā usus providentiā; curae atque studii nihil omnino prætermittens; multa etiam commoda & beneficia synodo à regibus obtinuit; gratiosè ipsis accipientibus omni-
 Ἐπειδὴ ὁ νέος τὸ Συνόδον Κεράτων Παλίχρι ἐν τε τῷ ζεῦ πολλὰς ἡ μεγάλας διποδεῖξες ἐποιεῖται τὸ περὶ τῆς Ἀτταλίστας δύνοιας, καὶ οὐδὲν οὐδὲν ἔκαστα καὶ κοινὸν τῷ νέῳ ἐντὸς συνηγορήμάν τοις φιλάνθρωποις, τὴν πλείστην ποιότητα περένοιαν, αποδῆτην καὶ φιλόμιας εἴθεν ἐλλείπων, καὶ πολλὰ ἀμένοντα καὶ φιλάνθρωπα⁽³⁾ τῇ συνόδῳ παραχθέντας τῷ βασιλέων ἐποίησεν, διποδεῖχομένων αὐτῶν τινὲς τε ἀκείνους ἄπαντα τούτον περὶ τῶν εὔνοιαν

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αν ἡ τὸν ἡμετέρους αἴρεσίν τε ἡ συν-
αιώγλω αἰξίαν ὅσαν τὸ ἔαυτῶν
ἐπωνυμίας· [οὐκ ἀλλὰ] ἐς ἡ τῶν
ἰδίων Ἐπιστήμης ἡ χρηστῶν διελέ-
λει· Βελόμηρός τε τοῖς περιπτερ-
μήροις ἀκόλυτα περίσσειν, ἡ μετ-
αλλάσσων τὸν βίον ἐν Περγάμῳ
προενόθη τὸ σωόδε, ἡ γεό-
ψις Ἐπιστολὴν πρέστη Ἀτταλί-
σας, ἡ νόμον ἱερὸν διοικητῶν, ὃν
Ἑξαπέτειλεν ἡμῖν Βασιλεὺς Ἀττα-
λῷ, Ἐπισημοτέρην ἐποίησεν τινὲς
ὑπάρχονταν εἰς τινὲς σωόδον
δύνοιαν, διὸ ὃν τὸ τε Ἀτταλεῖον
τὸ πέρι τῷ θεάτρῳ, ὃ ἡ ζῶν κα-
θιερώκει, τοῖς Ἀτταλίσαις αὐτί-
θησιν, ἡ τινὲς⁽⁴⁾ σωοικίαν τὸν
πέρι τῷ Βασιλείῳ τινὲς περτεροῦ
ὅσαν Μικ. .ες· αὐτίθησιν ἐς ἡ
καθιερώσαι τῇ σωόδῳ ἡ δέργυεις
Ἀλεξανδρεῖς δεργυμάτις μυεῖας ἡ
πεντακοσίας, αὐτὸν, ἐπὶ τὸ περσ-
όδε, θυσίας τε ἡ σωόδες πε-
ποιήσεια, κατὼς αὐτὸς ἐν τῇ
ἱομοθεσίᾳ ὡςὶ ἑκάστων διάταχεν
ἀνατίθησιν ἐς ἡ σώματα τοῖς
Ἀτταλίσαις τὰ⁽⁵⁾ περισσῶν, ἀπό
μέρες ὑπὲρ ἀπάνων ἐν τῷ καθι-
ερωμήρῳ ὑφ' ἔαυτοῦ νόμῳ δεδήλω-
χεν· αὐτίπεν ἐς ἡ τὰ πέρι δι-
χήμοτον ἐν τῷ τερμῷ χειροπέδῃ
ἰκανᾷ, παρεχοῦσαι Βελόμηρῷ
ἡ τοῦτα δαπάνης ἡ χρη-

modam illius erga te benevolentia-
m, ἥ σετλαν ἥ collegium no-
strum; dignumque illud habenti-
bus quod ab ipsis cognominetur;
neque minus etiam ex propriis e-
largiendo ἥ erogando persistit;
cupiensque bis inceptis congruen-
ter agere, ἥ ἐν οὐτῇ Pergami ex-
cedens providè synodum respxe-
xit; scriptāque ad Attalistas epi-
stola, ἥ reliktā sacrā lege quam
transmisit nobis rex Attalus, insig-
niorem eam reddidit quam erga
synodum habuit benevolentiam;
quā ex lege ἥ Attalēum prope
theatrum, quod ἥ virus ipse con-
secraverat, Attalistas dedicat, nec
non ἥ contubernium prope regi-
am, quod prius Mic. .ri suit;
dedicat autem consecratque syno-
do argenti etiam Alexandrini
drachmas decies mille ἥ quin-
gentas; quarum ex provemtu ἥ
sacrificia ἥ conventus fecimus,
prout ipse in ferendā lege de sin-
gulis constituit; porrò servorum
capita quædam peculiaria Atta-
listis dedicat; quæ omnia in
sacratâ ab ipso lege sigillatim
indigitavit; in delubro etiam,
ultra ea quæ ornameinto erant, non
iuxta, paucā reliquit utensilia; cupiens
ἡ τοῦτα δαπάνης ἡ χρη-
scilicet hujus quoque impensæ ἥ
γίας

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γίας τὸς Ἀτταλίσας· Ἰνδιάνης οὐδὲν εργάτης immunes reddere Attalistas: Ut igitur Attalistarum syndicus palam sit benefactoribus grates dignas rependens; Placere Attalistas firmam ratamque habere sacram legem relictam à Cratone; diesque (observandos) cognomines Cratonis, & * *

Cætera hinc contracto lapide desiderantur. Sed idem & à tergo scriptus imperfectam quandam χειροποιων, ut superius vocantur, hoc est utensilium, & instrumenti Attalitici rationem exhibit; sive ea à Cratone legata fuerant, sive aliò ad Attalistas pertinentia.

ΑΤΤΑΛΙΣΤΑΙΣΩΣ ΤΕΥΧΑΡΧΕΙΝΑΥΤΟΙΣΚΑΙΤΑΣΤΡΩΜ
ΑΤΑΚΑΙΤΑΣ
ΕΝΝΕΑΤΙΛΑΣ ΚΑΙΤΙΑΤΙΜΙΑΟΝΤΑ
ΤΡΑΠΕΖΑΣ ΔΥΟΤΡΙΠΟΔΙΑΔΥΟΝΑΝΟΝ (6c) ΔΙΜΕΤΡΗΤΟΝ
ΧΑΛΚΙΟΝΤΕΤΡΑΧΟΙΑΙΟΝΚΑΙΑΜΒΙΚΟΝΛΕΚΑΝΗΝΕΣΠΟ
ΤΗΡΙΑΚΑΙΑΑΛΗΝΠΟΔΟΝΙΠΤΗΡΑΛΥΧΝΙΑΝΧΑΛΚΗΝΣΑΛ
ΠΙΓΓΩΤΗΝΛΑΥΧΝΟΝΧΑΛΚΟΥΝΔΙΜΥΞΟΝΔΙΦΡΟΝΕΒΕΝ^{IN}
ΟΝΑΣΠΙΔΑΚΑΙΔΟΡΥ

..... Ἀτταλίσας. ὅσε ὑπάρχειν αὐτοῖς καὶ τὰ σεώματα καὶ τὰς τραπέζας δύο, τετρόδια δύο, (6) [κάδον] διμέτρηπον, χαλκίον τελεχήσιαν, καὶ ἀμβικόν, λεκάνης ἐσπόλικεα, καὶ ἄλλης ποδονιπλίερης, λυχνίαν χαλκῆν σαλπιγώτιων, λυχνὸν χαλκῆν δίμυξον, δίφερης ἔβενινον, ἀσσίδα καὶ δόρυ.

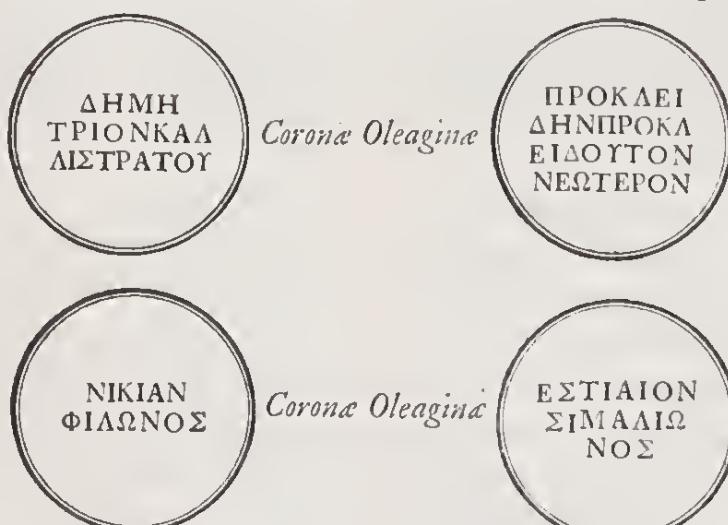
..... Attalistas: unde & sufficeret ipse lectulos, &
..... & quædam preii non contemnendi; mensas binas, tripodia bina, cadum mensurâ duplaci, vas æreum capacitate quatuor congiorum, & calicem, pelvem ad pocula, aliamque ad abluidos pedes, candelabrum æreum formâ buccinæ ansatum, lychnum æreum duo ellychnia habentem, sellam ebenofactam, clypeum & hastam.

Psephisima

Psephisma Sodalitii ab Echino dicti.

ΕΠΙΠΡΥΤΑΝΕΩΣ ΣΜΕΙΝΩΝΟΣ
ΤΟΚΟΙΝΟΝΤΗΣ ΕΧΙΝΟΥ ΣΥΜΜΟΡΙΑΣ
ΕΤΙΘΗΣΕΝ

Ἐπὶ Πεντανέως Σμέινων^ῷ τὸ Κοι- Sub Prytane Smeinone συμμηνε
νὸν τὸ Ἐχίνος συμμορίας ἐτίθησεν. *sodalitii ab Echino dicti posuit.*



ΕΔΟΞΕΝΤΗΙ ΕΧΙΝΟΥ ΣΥΜΜΟΡΙΑΙ ΕΠΕΙΔΗ ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙ
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ΤΕΡΟΝ ΤΕΤΗΝΑΤΤΩΝ ΣΠΟΥΔΗΝ ΝΕΝΔΕΙΚ ΝΥΜΕΝΟΙ ΕΙΣ ΤΗΝ
ΣΥΜΜΟΡΙΑΝ ΔΙΕΤΕΛΟΥ ΝΑ ΠΟΔΕΙΚ ΝΥΝΤΕΣ ΤΕ ΠΡΟΣ
ΤΑΤΑΙΚΑΙΒΟΥ ΛΟΜΕ ΝΟΙΚΑΤΑΚΟΛΟΥ ΘΕΙΝΤΗΙ ΕΑΥΤ
ΩΝ ΠΡΟΘΕΣ ΕΙΤΑΣ ΤΕ ΝΟΜΙ ΞΑΜΕ ΝΑΣ
ΠΑΤΡΙΟΥ ΣΘΥΣΙΑΣ ΣΥ ΝΕΤΕΛΕΣ ΑΝΤΟΙΣ
ΘΕΟΙΣ ΚΑΙ ΤΟΙΣ ΕΥΕΡΓΕΤΑΙΣ
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ΟΡΙΑΝ ΦΙΑΟ
ΤΙΜΩΣ ΚΑΙ ΕΚΤΕΝΩΣ ΕΙΣ ΕΝΕΓΚΑΜΕΝΟΙ ΙΤΗΝ ΕΙΣ ΤΑΥΤΑ ΔΑΠΑΝΗΝ
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ΤΗΝ ΣΥΜΜΟΡΙΑΝ ΚΑΘΙΣΤΑΝΕΙΝ ΟΠΩΣ ΣΟΥΝ ΚΑΙ ΤΟΚΟΙΝ ΟΝΤΗΣ ΣΥ
ΜΜΟΡΙΑΣ ΣΕ ΥΧΑΡΙΣ ΤΩΣ ΠΡΟΣΦΕΡΟΜΕΝΟΝ ΦΑΙΝΗΤΑΙ ΟΙΣ
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ΑΙΔΗΜΗ
ΤΡΙΟΝΚΑΛΛΙΣΤΡΑΤΟΥ ΠΡΟΚΛΕΙ ΔΗΝΠΡΟΚΛΕΙ ΔΟΥ ΤΟΝ ΝΕΩΤΕΡΟΝ
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144 ΜΟΝΥΜΕΝΤΑ ΑΤΤΑΛΙΚΑ.

ΝΙΚΙΑΝΦΙΛΩΝΟΣΕΣΤΙΑΙΟΝΣΙΜΑΛΙΩΝΟΣΚΑΙΣΤΕΦΑΝΩΣΑΙΕΚΑΣ
ΤΟΝΑΥΤΩΝΣΤΕΦΑΝΩΙΘΑΛΛΟΥΑΡΕΤΗΣΕΝΕΚΕΝΚΑΙΦΙΛΟΔΟΞΙΑΣ
ΤΗΣΕΙΣ

ΤΗΝΣΥΜΜΟΡΙΑΝΑΝΑΓΓΕΛΛΕΣΘΑΙΔΕΤΟΝΣΤΕΦΑΝΟΝΚΑ
ΘΕΚΑΣΤΟΝ

ΕΤΟΣΜΕΤΑΤΑΣΣΠΟΝΔΑΣΟΤΑΝΗ..ΩΔΟΧΗΓΙΝΗΤΑΙΤΗΣΔΕΑΝΑΓ
ΓΕΛΛΙΑΣΕΠΙΜΕΛΕΙΣΘΑΙΤΟΥΣΚΑΘΕΚΑΣΤΟΝΕΤΟΣΓΕΝΟΜΕ
ΝΟΥΣ

ΠΡΟΣΤΑΤΑΣΑΝΑΓΡΑΦΑΙΔΕΤΟΦΗΦΙΣΜΑΤΟΔΕΚΑΙΤΟΥΣΣΤΕ
ΦΑΝΟΥΣΕΙΣΣΤΗΛΗΝΛΙΘΙΝΗΝΚΑΙΣΤΗΣΑΙΠΑΡΑΤΟΝΒΩ
ΜΟΝΤΗΣΣΥΜ

ΜΟΡΙΑΣΟΠΩΣΔΕΣΥΝΤΕΛΕΣΘΗΤΑΕΦΗΦΙΣΜΕΝΑΑΠΟΔΕΙΞΑΙΑΝ
ΔΡΑΣΟΙΤΙΝΕΣΤΗΝΕΠΙΜΕΛΕΙΑΝΑΥΤΩΝΠΟΙΗΣΟΝΤΑΙΑΠΕΔΕ
ΧΩΣΑΝΠΡΟΚΛΕΙΔΗΣΠΡΟΚΛΕΙΔΟΥΝΕΩΤΕΡΟΣΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΟΣ
ΚΑΛΛΙΣΤΡΑΤΟΥ

*Ἐδοξεν τῇ Ἐχίνῳ συμμοείᾳ. Ἐ-
πιειδὴ Δημήτερος Καλλιστράτου,
Προκλείδης Προκλείδης ὁ νεώτερος,
Νικίας Φίλων^Θ, Ἐσιαῦ^Θ Σιμα-
λίων^Θ πρότερον τε τῷώ αὐτῶν
απόδημος ἐγδεικνύμνοι εἰς τῷώ συμ-
μοείαν, διείλεντν δποδείνυνθέ τε
πρεστᾶ^τ), καὶ βελόμνοι καλαπολ-
θαῖν τῇ ἐαυτῶν πρεστέσαι τάς τε
νομιζομένας παλείας θυσίας συν-
ετέλεσαν τοῖς θεοῖς καὶ τοῖς διόε-
γύταις καλῶς καὶ ἐπιφανῶς, συνεισ-
δέξαντό τε καὶ τῷώ συμμοείαν φι-
λόμνως καὶ ἀκίνητος, εἰσενεγκά-
μνοι τῷώ εἰς τῶντα δαπάνων
πᾶσαν ἐπ τῷώ ιδίᾳ, βελόμνοι ὃν
ἀπασι τύτοις διδάπανον τῷώ συμ-
μοείαν καθισάνεν· "Οπως δὲ καὶ
τὸ κοινὸν τῆς συμμοείας δύχα-
είσως προσφερόμνον φαίνητος τοῖς
καλοῖς καὶ ἀγαθοῖς τῶν αὐδεῶν·
Δεδόχθαι τῇ Ἐχίνῃ συμμοείᾳ

Placuit Echini sodalitio. Quan-
doquidem Demetrius F. Callistrati,
Proclides junior F. Proclidis,
Nicias F. Philonis, Hestiaeus F.
Simalionis jam olim suum er-
ga sodalitium affectum testati,
eundem Praesides quoque facti
demonstrare non destiterunt, at
cupientes ipsorum proposito ad-
bærere, legitima & patria sacra
pulchre splendidèque diis &
benefactoribus perfecerunt, in-
tentoque animi studio sodalitium
epulo exceperunt, omnem ad id
sumptum ex proprio conferentes,
cupientes in his omnibus immu-
ne ab omni sumptu sodalitium
præstare: Ut igitur commune
sodalitii erga probos bonosque vi-
ros gratum se commonstret, Pla-
cere Echini sodalitio laudare
Demetrium F. Callistrati, Pro-
éπαι-

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ἐπαινέσαι Δημήτελον Καλλισερά- clidem juniores F. Proclidis,
τα, Περχλείδης Περχλείδης τὸν νε- Niciam F. Philonis, Hestiaeum
ώτερον, Νικίας Φίλωνθ, Ἐσιᾶ- F. Simalionis, & unumquemque
ον Σιμαλίωνθ, ἡ σεφανῶσαι eorum coronā oleaginā coronari,
ἔκασον αὐτῶν σεφάνῳ θάλλῳ, virtutis ergo & generositatis erga
δρετῆς ἔνεκεν ἡ φιλοδοξίας τοις sodalitium præstare. Coronam autem singulis annis annuntiatum
τὸν σέφανον καθ' ἔκασον ἐτθ μητρὰς απονδὰς ὅταν ή χρεωδόχη iri post facta libamina, quo tempore datur visceratio. Annuntiationem autem iis curae fore, qui
γίνη. Τῆς δὲ ἀναγέλλεις Θημελεῖδης τὰς καθ' ἔκασον ἐτθ φυρομύρις περσάτας. Αναγέψου δὲ τὸ ψήφισμα τόδε ἡ τὰς
σεφάνους εἰς σύλλω λιθίνω, ἡ σῆσαι τῷ τὸν βῶμον τὸ συμμο- ipso quodammodo constituantur præsides. Insculpant autem hoc psephisma
ρία, ληδεῖξαι ἀνδρεis & coronas ipsas in lapidea stelā, ponantque juxta aram sodalitii. Ut autem hæc decreta perficiantur, designentur viri qui curam
ποιήσοντ). Απεδέχθησαν Περχλείδης Περχλείδης ο νεώτερος
Δημήτελος Καλλισεράτα.

Cratonis ad Attalistas Epistola.

PER FRÆTERAS Cratonis laudes & illud etiam in psephismate gratè recolunt Attalista, quod Pergami, quum esset morti proximus, Epistolam ad ipsos dederat. Ea igitur non indigna visa est quæ posteritati, incisa lapidi, traderetur. Sed invidia temporis & fortunæ de totâ nihil reliquum fecit præter imperfectos quatuor ab initio versiculos: in quibus aliqua tamen legere curiosa, plura datur intelligere. Signatur enim annus Attali in Ioniâ jam regnantis, idque assumpto, quod Historiæ concinit, cognomine Philadelphia. Porro subindicatur fratri ejus Eumenis tantopere adamati consecratio, ob paternum in tres fratres & in subditos animum, inter divos relati. Ejus igitur sacerdos Eponymus anni fuit, unâ

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cum

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cum sacerdote artificum. *Artifices* enim in hoc Fragmento disertim appellantur; ne quis forte dubitaret quinam ii fuerint, de quibus hic agitur, Attaliste.

.... ΥΟΝΤΟΣ ΑΤΤΑΛΟΥ ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΟΥ ΕΤΟΥΣ ΕΒΔΟΜ ...
.... ΥΣΤΡΟΥ ΕΠΙΔΕΙΕΡΕΩΣ ΤΩΝ ΤΕΧΝΙΤΩΝ ΚΡΑΤΙΝ ...
... ΟΘΕΤΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΙΕΡΕΩΣ ΘΕΟΥ ΕΥΜΕΝΟΥ ΑΡΙΣΤΑΙΟΥ ΚΡΑΤΩ..
... ΥΤΟΙΣ ΑΤΤΑΛΙΣΤΑΙΣ ΤΟΙΣ ΥΦΕΑΥΤΟΥΣ ΥΝΗΓΜΕ

Βασιλεὺοντος Ἀττάλου ⁽⁷⁾ Φιλαδέλφου, ἔτους ἑβδόμου⁽⁸⁾, μηνὸς Δεκεμβρίου, ἐπὶ δὲ ⁽⁸⁾ ιερέως τῶν τεχνίτων Κερατίου, καὶ αὐγῶν] οὗτος καὶ ιερέως ⁽⁹⁾ Θεᾶς Ἐυμερύς Αετσάις, Κεράτων Ζωτίχαι τοῖς Ατταλίσαις ὑφ' ἑαυτῷ σωματικές [νοις καὶ κειμένοις χαίρειν].

Regnante Attalo Philadelpho,
anno septimo, mense Dystro, sub
sacerdote autem artificum Crai-
no, agonotheta etiam ὁ sacerdo-
te Dei Eumenis Aristaeo, Crato F.
Zotichi Attalitis sub ipso aggre-
gatis ὁ positis salutem.

Decretum honorarium anno Attali II. primo, ante Christum 158.

AB Ionicâ novâ Attali ditione ad veterem Pergamenam tendimus, invitati illuc à non dissimili ejusdem Attali memoriâ, sed anno regni primo, quo necdum Philadelphi sibi titulum adsciverat. Extat ea in marmore juxta aquæ fontem, prope oppidum hodiernum Kirk-agatch, novem à Thyatiris milliaribus, quâ Pergamum itur viâ. Neque dubium est quin fuisse veterum Nacrasitarum, populi intra Lydiæ fines regibus Pergamenis subditi: quorumque in vicino pago Bok-hair epistylum legitur sic inscriptum, H. ΜΑΚΕΔΟΝΩΝ. ΝΑΚΡΑΣΕΙΤΩΝ. ΒΟΥΛΗ. ΚΑΙ. Ο. ΔΗΜΟΣ. i. e. Nacrasitarum, Macedonia oriundorum, Senatus Populusque. His igitur, si ex loco reperti lapidis aliisque rectè conjecturavimus, sequentia non incongruè tribuenda.

ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΟΝΤΟΣ ΑΤΤΑΛΟΥ ΠΡΩΤΟΥ
ΕΤΟΥΣ ΗΝΟΣ ΥΠΕΡΒΕΡΕΤΑΙΟΥ ΤΕΣΣΑ
ΡΕΣ ΚΑΙ ΔΕΚΑΤΗΙΕΠΕΙΑ ΠΟΛΛΩΝ ΙΟΣΜΕΛΕΑ
ΓΡΟΥ ΕΠΙΣΤΑΤΗΣ ΠΡΟΧΕΙΡΙΣ ΘΕΙΣΕΝΤΩΙ
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ΤΩΝ ΑΧΘΕΝΤΩΝ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΙΩΝ ΚΑΙ ΕΥΕΡΓΕΤΗΣ
ΩΝΟΦΙΑ ΑΓΑΘΩΣ ΕΝΕΜΠΑΣΙΝ ΕΞΑΜΕΝΟΣ

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ΤΟΥΣΠΑΡΕΠΙΔΗΜΟΥΝΤΑΣΞΕΝΟΥΣΚΑΙΠΡΟΤΕ
ΡΟΝΔΕΣΤΡΑΤΗΓΟΣΤΗΣΠΟΛΕΩΣΚΑΤΑΣΤΑΘΕΙΣ
ΑΝΕΣΤΡΑΦΗΚΑΤΑΤΟΔΕΟΝΕΠΗΓΕΛΤΑΙΔΕΚΑΙΝΥΝ
ΑΝΑΘΗΣΕΙΝΦΙΑΛΑΣΔΥΟΕΚΑΤΕΡΑΝΑΠΟΔΡΑΧΜΩΝ
ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΕΙΩΝΕΚΑΤΟΝΕΔ...ΕΠΑΙΝΕΣΑΙΤΕΑΥ
ΤΟΝΚΑΙΣΤΕΦΑΝΩΣΑΙΧΡΥΣΩΙΣΤΕΦΑΝΩΙΕΙΝΑΙΔΕΑΥ
ΤΩΙΚΑΙΣΙΤΗΣΙΝΕΜΠΡΥΤΑΝΗ..ΠΡΟΣΦΕΡΕΣΘΑΙΔΕ
ΚΑΙΑΙΒΑΝΩΤΟΝΚΑΙΤΑΔΕΟΓΜΕΝΑΑΝΑΓΡΑΨΑΙΕΙΣ
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ΜΑΤΑΕΙΣΤΕΤΟΝΣΤΕΦΑΝΟΝΚΑI..ΕΙΣΤΗΝ
ΣΤΗΛΗΝΠΑΡΕΞΕΙΝΤΟΝΤΗΣΠΟΛΕΩΣΤΑΜΙΑΝ *

Βασιλεύοντος Ἀττάλου, πρώτῳ ἔτει, μίλως Ὑπερβερεῖαι τεσσαρεσκαιδεκάτῃ. Ἐπεὶ Ἀπολλώνιος Μελεάγρης ἐπισάπτης προχειρίσθεις, ἐν τῷ τὸν Πανηγύρεως χρόνῳ αἰγανοθέτης τῶν αἰχθέντων Βασιλίων, καὶ διεγέρτης ὧν ὁ φιλαγαθὸς ἐν ἔμπασιν, ἐκδεξάμφρος τὰς τε παρεύσας θεωρίας περίτοντας, καὶ τὰς παρεπιδημίτοντας ἔννυν, καὶ περότερον ὃ σερινγὸς τὸ πόλεως καλασαθεῖς⁽¹⁰⁾ ἀνεσφρόν καὶ τὸ δέον, ἐπήγειλ^τ) ὃ καὶ νῦν ἀναθίσειν φιάλας δύο, ἐκατέσχεν δοῦλο δευχμῶν Ἀλεξανδρείων ἐκαλον. Ἐδοξεν ἐπιανέσαι τε αὐτὸν, καὶ σεφανῶσαι χρυσῷ σεφάνῳ, εἴναι ὃ ἀπὸ καὶ σίτησιν ἐμὲ Πεντανίω, πρεσφέρεσθ^τ ὃ καὶ λιβάνωτον, καὶ τὰ δεδομένα ἀναγρέψαι εἰς τὴν τῆς σοᾶ περὶ Σάρδικας. Τὰ διεσόρμητα ἀναλώματα

Regnante Attalo, anno primo, mensis Hyperberetai die decimā quartā. Quandoquidem Apollonius F. Meleagri Epistles declaratus, Agonoiketa certaminum quae panegyris tempore acta fuere Attaleorum, et propensus in omnibus benefactor, hospitio excipiens tum præsentium editores spectaculorum, tum peregrè accedentes hospites, et antea quidem civitatis Prætor constitutus secundum officium se benegessit, nunc autem promisit dedicaturum se phialas binas, alterutram drachmarum constantem Alexandrinarum centum: Placuit et laudare ipsum, et coronam eum auream coronare; præbendum autem ipsi in Prytaneo victimum, ihus etiam offerendum; et hæc placita in stele lapidea candida conscribere, et in portico ante curiam ponere.

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*εἰς τε τὸν σέφανον, ἢ εἰς τὴν σή-
λιν, παρέξειν τὸν τὸ πόλεως τα-
μίαν, — Qui vero faciendi fuerint & in co-
ronam & in stelam sumptus, præ-
biturum eos ærarii præfectum.*

Ad Monumenta Attalica Notæ.

⁽¹⁾ Regim Pergamenorum, quibus pānē omnis cis Taurum Asia post Antiochum debellatum paruit. Hinc Teos & Lebedos reges habuere Eumenem, Attalosque Eumenis successores, ex decreto Senatus Romani, apud Polybium, Legat. 24. τὸ θάταδε τὸ Ταύρονα μὲν ὅσαι μὲν ἡπ' Ἀντίοχον ἵταλον, τέττες Εὐμένης οἱ Σιναι, i. e. populos cis Taurum habitantes, qui quidem Antiocho paruerant, eos Eumeni dari. Vide & Livii lib. 38. cap. 39. Ilasigitur, & his vicinas urbes, Attalicarum nomine Bullatio suo innuit Horatius, Ep. xi.

*An venit in mentem Attalicis ex urbibus una?
An Lebedum laudas? — — —*

⁽²⁾ Ob incolarum Lebedi penuriam; ut postea ævo Horatiano.

*Seis Lebedus quam sit Gabiis desertior atque
Fidenis vicus. — — —* ibid.

⁽³⁾ φιλάνθρωπα τῆς εισόδω παρεὶ τῷ βασιλέων, i. e. beneficia synodo à regibus obtenta. Regum pluraliter dixere, quia, præter Attalum tunc regnantem, regio quoque nomine & diademate, in aula Pergamenâ unâ degebat & nepos Attalus, Eumenis filius, qui postea Philometoris titulo regnavit; heredemque dixit Populum Romanum. Eodem quoque sensu & intuitu Scymnus Chius perieg. versu 16: τοῖς ἐπ Πιεγάμῳ βασιλέοι διxit.

⁽⁴⁾ ειωκιαν τῶν προς τῷ βασιλέων, i. e. contubernium prope regiam. Lebedi fuisse contubernium Attalistarum supetiùs docetur à Strabone. Cùm vero idem propè βασιλεῖον seu palatium fuerit, facit hoc ut credamus delectatum Ionicâ amicitate Attalum aulam illuc aliquando sedemque regiam habuisse. Unde & facilius explicatum dabitar quod jam adduximus Horatianum — Attalicis ex urbibus una. Quin immò credibile est hanc ipsam regiam Romano alicui ex fortis Attalicæ venditione obvenisse.

⁽⁵⁾ εώμα... τὰ ωκεῖα, i. e. servorum personas quasdam, Latinis dictas peculiares aut peculiosas; proprias nempe & probatas, præque aliis in pretio habitas; eo sensu quo Iellenistis dicuntur λαὸς ωκεῖος, ωκεῖας, ex Hebreo οἶνος versa. Neque aliâ ratione piorum Christianorum cœtum λαὸν Christi ωκεῖου vocavit D. Paulus, Tit. ii. 14. ωκεῖος enim à ωκεῖαι præstare, ut θησεῖο in precatione Dominicâ ab θησεῖαι instare.

⁽⁶⁾ κάδον διμέτερον, i. e. Metretarum duarum cadum, qui tamen ordinariè est unius. Pro NANON quod mendosè legitur in apographo ferri poterit κάρυ canistrum; præferrem verò κάδον.

⁽⁷⁾ βασιλεῖον Ἀττάλου Φιλαδέλφου, i. e. Regnante Attalo Philadelpho. Cautè hic ut in sequente lapide βασιλέων, non βασιλέως, dicitur, i. e. regnante, non autem rege, Attalo. Nam veri & recti amantissimus scriptor Strabo pari modo & βασιλεῖον eum dixit, non βασιλία. Quippe quia Eumenes nonnisi tutorem regni, & filii admodum parvuli, hunc fratrem suum Attalum reliquerat. Reipsa tamen regem egit, unde apud Attalistas nostros, aliosque incautiū loquutos, interque eos & ipsum alibi Strabonem, prevaluit Regis Attali Philadelphi nomen. Benè verò in cognomine Philadelphi, non tantum Straboni sed & Luciano & Scymno Chio lapis noster adstipulatur. Quorum hic de Apollodoro, Chronicorum auctore, hæc habet, perieg. v. 45.

⁽⁸⁾ Ἐκεῖνα μὲν ἐν κεφαλαια συναθροεσας χρόνων Ergo ista capita temporum recolligens
τοι: βασιλίως ἀπίθεν Φιλαδέλφου κάρυ, i. e. Regi Philadelpho gratum munus obtulit.
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Ille verò in Macrobiis, **Ατταλος ὁ Περιηγητης Φιλάδελφος τὸ Περγαμοντανὸν βασιλεὺν... δύο καὶ ὑπόκοινα τριῶν εἰκόπετον Σιον*, i. e. Attalus, cognomine Philadelphus, qui Pergamontanum regem egit, duos & octoginta annos natus excessit ē vicos. Rationem cognominis in tractatu de Fraterno amore hanc Plutarchus edidit; quod, præter amorem Eumeni viventi præstium, neglectis quos habuerat genitos sibi liberos, Attalo pupillo, Eumenis fratris filio, diadema etiam vivus impoluavit, Regemque eum appellaverit.

⁽¹⁾ **Ατταλος Φιλαδελφος τριες εικοπετον Σιον*, i. e. Attali Philadelpi anno septimo. Anno ante Christum 158.cepit post Eumenem regnare noster Attalus, mense saltem Hyperberetæo, ut ex sequenti lapide colligitur: unde annus ejus regnantis septimus, hoc lapide signatus, incidit in annum ante Christum 152, cumque mensis Dystro saltem dimidium jam currentem.

⁽²⁾ *Ἐνὶ δὲ ἱερῷ τῷ τεχνιτῶν Κρατίῳ*, i. e. sub sacerdote artificum Cratino. Suos igitur sibi habuisse sacerdotes hujusmodi artificum collegia tum hie-noster lapis tum Gruteriani alii testantur; quorum unum hic libet allegare: COLLEGIA. FABR. ET. CENT. L. CORNELIO. PROSODICO. VI. VIR. AVG. BRIXIAE. ET. VERON. SACRED. COLLEG. IVVENVM. BRIXIAN. PRIMVM. INSTITVTI. OB. MERITA. EIVS. HONORE. CONTENTVS. IMPENDIVM. REMIS. DATIS. IN. TUT. COLONIS. H-S. N.D. Grut. CCCXLVII. 3.

Ἱερός Θεῖς Ευρήμος, i. e. sacerdote Dei Eumenis. Quanquam hic casus secundus apud alios Ευρήμος effareretur, in Ioniâ tamen receptum est Ευρήμος, ut in precedente inscriptione Προκλείδης Προκλείδης, & in aliis quas dedimus Milesiis, pag. 92, 93. Μενεκέρτης, Ευχέρτης. Hoc posito, certum est constare ex hac inscriptione, quod alias haud credam innotuisse, Eumenis Regis Pergameni apotheosin; Attalo ejus fratre insinum hunc honorem tum fortasse deferente, cùm Attalo pupillo, ejusdem Eumenis filio, nonne regium & diadema, sibi ipsi Philadelphi titulum imponeret.

⁽³⁾ *ἀνεργόν τοῦ διον*, i. e. bene se gesuit, propriè bene conversatus est. Quæ vox observationem hic meretur, quia haec tenus pro S. Scripturæ propriâ nec alibi usitatâ habita est. Patrium igitur sicut Asiaticis, æquè ac DD. Petro & Paulo, *ἀναργοπλιώς* & *ἀναργιδεῖς* hoc sensu dicere: Neque diversum erat quod de Cretensibus & D. Jacobo supra obser-vavimus in Notis ad Monumenta Teia., pag. 127.

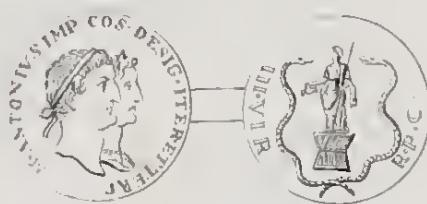
Monumentum Aphrodisiense.

PLARASENSES & Aphrodisenses, vicinæ in Cariâ civitates, nescio quo jure, quove fœdere conjunctæ, communia multa beneficia à Dictatore Cæsare & Triumviris, & Senatu Romano consecutæ sunt. Id palam facit hoc monumentum duabus insigne inscriptionibus; quarum primam doctissimus Sherardus ex Aphrodisiade, hodie Geyra, reportavit, A. D. 1705, comite tunc viro optimo, ad meliora nunc transgresso, Antonio Picenini, M. D. Coirensi; alteram verò A. D. 1716, eruditum iter tum simul faciente laudato sape & laudando D. Doctore Lille. Congruit autem in-

Q q scripti-

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scriptionibus & celeberrima illa coram senatu R. de asylis disceptatio. Ibi enim referente Tacito, *Annal. 3. c. 62.* Aphrodisienses religionem Veneris tuentes *Dictatoris Cæsaris ob venusta in parteis merita, & recens Divi Augusti decretum attulere.* Et prudenter quidem non nisi Julium & Augustum crepabant Aphrodisienses, de Antonio altum tum silentes. Eo enim everso, ut inquit Strabo, omnia ejus acta sunt rescissa. At non ita pridem post devictos Brutum Cassiumque, immunitates passim vendens civitatibus, legeisque pretio figens & refigens, dominus Afia Antonius susque deque omnia ferebat. Ad eum igitur, statim ac convenerat de secundo triumviratu, confugere Aphrodisienses, de conservandis & de augendis forte juribus solliciti; maximè quia acta Julii Cæsaris, quibus hi potissimum nitebantur, penes Antonium promenda aut premenda pro suo arbitrio servabantur. Fœderatis igitur civitatibus, per Solonem earum civem & legatum, ab triumviro hunc in modum est responsum.



*M. Antonii Triumviri Epistola scripta, ut videtur,
anno U.C. 717, ante Christum 34.*

[Μ.ΑΝΤΩΝΙΟΣ ΣΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΤΩΡ ΤΑΤΟΣ ΑΠΟΔΕΙΓΜΕΝΟΣ ΤΟΣΚΑΙ [τοι] ΤΡΙΩΝ ΑΝΔΡΩΝ ΤΗΔ... ΤΩΝ ΔΗΜΟΣΙΩΝ ΠΡΑΓΜΑΤΩΝ ΔΙΑΤΑΞΕΩΣ ΠΛΑΡΑΣΕΩΝ ΚΑΙ ΑΦΡΟΔΕΙΣΙΩΝ ΝΑΡΧΟΥΣ ΙΝ ΒΟΥΛΗΔΗΜΩΝ ΧΑΙΡΕΙΝ ΕΙΕΡΡΩΣ ΘΕΕΥ ΤΑΝΕΧΟΙ ΥΓΙΑΙΝΩ ΔΕΚΑΙ ΑΥΤΟΣ ΜΕΤΑΣΤΡΑΤΕΥΜΑΤΟΣ ΣΟΛΩΝ]

[Μ. Ἀντώνιος αὐτοκράτωρ ὑπάλος διπλεῖς]
(1) γράμματος της καὶ [πλ.]
(2) τελλανανδράν [τηδ...]
τὸ δημοσίων πρεστῶν
γρατῶν Αγράξεως
Πλαρασίων ἡ Αφροδεισίων αρχέστων,
βαλῆ, δήμῳ χαίρειν.
Ἐι ἐρρωδε, εὖ αὐτὸν
χοι, υγιαινῶ ἐκαὶ
αὐτὸς μὲν τελεῖ
τελεματο. Σίλων

M. Antonius Imperator Cos. designatus iter. & tert. iii Vir secundò Reipublicæ constituendæ, Plarafensium & Aphrodisiensium Archontibus, concilio, populo sal. Si valetis, bene sit; ego quoque cum exercitu bene valeo. Solon

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ΜΕΛΕΣΤΑΤΑΠΕΦΡΟΝ
ΤΙΚΩΣΤΩΝΤΗΣΠΟ
ΛΕΩΣΥΜΩΝΠΡΑΓ
ΜΑΤΩΝΟΥΜΟΝΟΝ
ΗΡΚΕΣΘΕΠΙΤΟΙΣ
ΓΕΓΟΝΟΣΙΝΟΙΚΟΝΟ
ΜΗΜΑΣΙΝΑΛΛΑΚΑΙ
ΗΜΑΣΠΑΡΕΚΑΛΕΣ
ΕΝΕΙΣΤΟΤΟΥΓΕΓΟ
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ΚΡΙΜΑΤΟΣΚΑΙΔΟΓΜΑ
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ΧΟΝΤΕΕΝΤΟΙΣΥΝΕΜΟΥ
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ΓΡΑΜΜΑΤΑΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ

Δημητρίου ιανέεο
πρεσβευτής Ἐπί-
μελεστάτα πεφρον-
τικώς τῷ πό-
λεως ὑμῶν πρεγ-
μάτων, καὶ μίνον
ηρκέσθη Πτολεμαῖς
γερονότον οἰκονο-
μήματον, ἀλλὰ καὶ
ἡμᾶς παρεκάλε-
σεν εἰς τὸ διεγέ-
νότος ὑμῶν θέπη.
κείμενος τῷ δόγμα-
τος καὶ ἵρκις καὶ νό-
μος (3) ἀντιπεφωνημάτων
σὺ τῷ δημοσίων
δελτῶν ἔχαποτε.
λαὶ ὑμῖν τὰ αντίγρα-
φα. Εἴρησις ἐπισκέ-
ψας τὸ Σόλωνα μᾶλ-
λον ἀπεδεξάμενος, ἔ-
χον τε ἐν τοῖς ὑπ’
εμβούλοις γενιατκομάτων,
ὅ καὶ τὰ καθηκοντά
ἀπερίεργα φιλάν-
θρωπα, ἀξιονήγη-
σάδωμα (4) τονάν-
δερ τὸ ἔχοντα τε-
μῆς. Τιμὴν τε συν-
έδομαι εἰπεῖ τῷ ἔχειν
τοῖς τολείτειν.
Ἐξιν ἡ αντίχειρα
τῶν γενονότων ὑ-
μῖν φιλανθρώπων
τὰ ἴστρηγερεμάτων,
(4) ἀντίχειρα βόλωναι
ἐν τοῖς δημοσίοις
τοῖς παρόντοις
γεράμματον ἐντάξαι.
Γεράμματα (5) Καίσαρος.

LITERAE CAESARIS.

Demetrii F.
legatus vester,
adibitā de rebus
civitatis vestre
diligentissimā
curā, non solum
ed quae facta est rerum
dispositione con-
tentus fuit, sed &
nos rogavit,
ut exemplaria
confirmationis volis
concessit, & decreti,
& juramenti, &
legis expressa ex publicis
tabulis vobis
transmitterem.

Hanc ob rem collau-
dans Solonem, fami-
liarius eum accepi,
habuique inter mibi
cognitos; cui
etiam ea quae par erat
beneficia imper-
titus sum; dignum
existimans hominem
illo apud nos honore.
Vobisque con-
gratulor qui tales
habeatis cīvēm.

Sunt verē infra scripta
beneficiorum vo-
bis indultorum
exemplaria;
quae vos
inter publica
apud vos scripta
referre volo.

Ita se fert epistola M. Antonii, ad stigmam post vocem ἐντάξαι
desinens. Continuò hanc secuta est (ut indicat ille titulus ΓΡΑΜ-
ΜΑΤΑ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ à scribā Antonii appositus) Dictatoris Cæsaris
epistola, omnis hujus erga Aphrodisienses favoris basis & origo.
Cæsaris epistolam exceptit descriptum ex tabulis publicis πυρευμ
quoddam Triumvirorum ἐπίκριμα, hoc est, priorum à Cæsare κρινομέ-
νων comprobatio, fortè etiam & ampliatio. Sed quum neutrum
eorum nunc compareat, contenti simus hoc, quod meliore fortunâ
superest,

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supereft utcunque truncatum & mutilatum ; Δόγμα dico, sive Senatus consultum, quo hæc Cæsaris & Triumvirorum acta confirmantur. Huic nos, ut legi possit & intelligi, decidua versuum extrema, ex conjecturâ non improbabili, restituimus. Procœmum quoque, loco ejus quod amissum est, ex alio non dissimili apud Josephum confinximus : ita breviculum sanè atque necessarium, ut non poterit longè à vero aberrare. Videris autem, Lector eruditæ, an aliud tibi succurrat antiquius his duobus monumentum, non habens , literulam dativis ubique casibus affixam. Id credo facilius evenisse in Græcis è Latino factis, cujusmodi hæc fuere Latinè primùm concepta sub Antonio, ut phrasis Romana indicat.



*Decretum quo Senatus Romanus pro ratis & firmis
habuit concessa a Dictatore Cæsare, & Triumviris
Lepido, Antonio, Octavianu, Plarascensibus & Aphro-
disiensibus beneficia, an. U.C. 714. ante Christum 37.*

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- 1 ΔΙΚΑΙΩΚΑ ΙΤΑΙΣ[ΝΟΜΟΘΕΣΙΑΙΣΤΑΙΣΙΔΙΑΙΣΤΗΝΠΟΛ]
 - 2 ΙΝ]ΤΗΝΠΛΑΡΑΣΕΩΝΚΑΙΑΦΡΟΔΕΙΣΙΕΩΝΧΡΗΣΘΑΙΜΗΤΕ Ε ΓΥ ΗΝΕ[ΣΦΕΡΕΙΝΤΟΥΤΟΙΣΚΑΤΑΤΟΠΑΡΟΝΔΟΓΜΑ
 - 3 Κ]ΑΙΚΕΛΕΥΣΙΝΟΜΟΛΟΓΕΙΝΑΤΕΤΙΝΑΕΠΑΘΛΑΤΕΙΜΑΣΦΙΛΑΝ ΘΡΩ[πα τρεισανδρεσο]
 - 4 ΙΤΗΣΤΩΝΔΗΜΟΣΙΩΝΠΡΑΓΜΑΤΩΝΔΙΑΤΑΞΕΩΣΤΩΙΔΙΩΠΙΚΡΙ ΜΑΤΙΠΛ[ΑΡΑΣΕΤΣΙΚΑΙΑΦΡΟΔΕΙΣΙΕΤΣ
 - 5 Ι]ΠΡΟΣΕΜΕΡΙΣΑΝΠΡΟΣΜΕΡΙΟΥΣ ΙΝΣΥΝΕΧΩΡΗΣΑΝΣΥΝΧΩΡ ΗΣΟΥΣΙΝΤΑ[ΥΤΑΠΑΝΤΑΒΕΒΑΙΑ
 - 6 Ι]ΓΕΝΕΣΘΑΙΟΜΟΙΩΣΤΕΑΡΕΣΚΕΙΝΤΗΣΥΓΚΛΗΤΩΤΟΝΔΗΜΟΝ ΤΟΝΠΛΑ[ΡΑΣΕΩΝΚΑΙΑΦΡΟΔΕΙΣΙΕ]
 - 7 ΩΝΤΗΝΕΛΕΥΘΕΡΙΑΝΚΑΙΤΗΝΑΤΕΛΕΙΑΝΑΥΤΟΥΣΠΑΝΤΩΝΤΩ ΝΠΡΑΓ[ΜΑΤΩΝΕΧΕΙΝΚ]

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- 8 ΑΘ] ΑΠΕΡΚΑΙΤΙΣΠΟΛΙΤΕΙΑΤΩΚΑΛΛΙΣΤΩΔΙΚΑΙΩΚΑΛΛΙΣΤΩΤΕ
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- 9 ΔΗΜΟ]ΥΤΟΥΡΩΜΑΙΩΝΤΗΝΕΛΕΥΘΕΡΙΑΝΚΑΙΤΗΝΑΤΕΛΕΙΑΝΕ
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- 10 ΟΤΣΑΤΟΔΕ]ΤΕΜΕΝΟΣΘΕΑΣΑΦΡΟΔΙΤΗΣΕΝΠΟΛΕΙΠΛΑΡΑΣΕΩΝ
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- 11 ΙΕΡΟΝΕ]ΣΤΩΤΑΥΤΩΔΙΚΑΙΩΤΑΥΤΗΤΕΔΕΙΣΙΔΑΙΜΟΝΙΑΩΔΙΚ
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- 12 ΤΟΦΕ]ΣΙΑΣΕΣΤΙΝΕΝΕΦΕΣΩΚΥΚΛΩΤΕΕΚΕΙΝΟΥΤΟΥΙΕΡΟΥΕΙΤΕ
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- 13 ΡΟΣ]ΤΟΠΟΣΑΣΥΛΟΣΕΣΤΩΟΠΩΣΤΕΗΠΟΛΙΣΚΑΙΟΠΟΔΕΙΤΑΪΟ
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- 14 ΩΝΤΩ]ΝΚΩΜΩΝΧΩΡΙΩΝΟΧΥΡΩΜΑΤΩΝΟΡΩΝΠΡΟΣΟΔΩΝΠΡΟΣ
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- 15 ΦΗΜ]ΙΝΚΡΑΤΩΣΙΝΧΡΩΝΤΑΙΚΑΡΠΙΖΩΝΤΑΙΤΕΠΑΝΤΩΝΠΡΑΓΜ
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- 16 ΦΟΡΟΝΔ]ΙΑΤΙΝΑΑΙΤΙΑΝΕΚΕΙΝΩΝΔΙΔΟΝΑΙΜΗΔΕΖΥΝΕΙΣΦΕΡΕΙ
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- 17 [ΛΛΑΥΤ]ΟΙΣΚΑΤΟΥΣΑΝΜΕΤΑΤΑΥΤΑΕΝΕΑΥΤΟΙΣΚΥΡΩΣΙΝΧ
ΡΩΝ[ΤΑΙ

[⁽⁶⁾] "Υπάλιοι λόγχες ἐποίησανθ. 'Α Coss. retulerunt. Placere
εξέκειν τῇ Συγκλήτῳ, τῷ δὲ ὃν ὁ Senatui, quantum ad ea quæ de
Γαῖᾳ Καισαρ ἵστερος Πλαρασέ- Plarasenibus & Aphrodisiens-
ων ἦν Ἀφερδεισιέων ἔκεινεν, αὐτὸν προσοδων πρόσωπον προσοδων πρόσωπον
τὸς καὶ τὰ δίκαια ἐδλά τε jura commodaque omnia liberos
[πάνι]α ἐλαυθέρες εἶναι, τῶτε δικαίω, ἢ ταῖς [νομοθεσίαις ταῖς
ιδίαις τὴν πόλιν τῷ Πλαρασέ- bus Caius Cæsar censuit; quoad
ων ἦν Ἀφερδεισιέων χεῖδαι, μή- τε ἐγύκλω ἐ[ισφέρειν, τάτοις καὶ τὸ
παρὸν δόγμα καὶ κέλθυσιν ὁμο-
λογεῖν. 'Α τέ τινα ἐπαθλα τε-
μαὶ φιλάνθρω[πα....τεῖς ἀνδρες
ὅ], τὸ τῷ δημοσίων πρεγμάτων
διατάξεως (⁽⁷⁾) τῷ ιδίῳ Ἐπικείματι
Πλ[αρασεῦσι ἦν Ἀφερδεισιέως]ι
πρεστεμέεσταν, προσμεειβσιν, συν-

Plarasenibus & Aphrodisiensibus
Caius Cæsar censuit; quoad
jura commodaque omnia liberos
eos fore; suo quoque jure suisque
legibus patriis uti, neve sponsio-
nem aliquam afferre Plarasenium
& Aphrodisiensium civitatem; his
omnibus per præsens hoc decre-
tum & iussionem consentire.
Quinetiam quæcunque præmia,
honores, beneficia Triumviri rei-
publicæ constituendæ propria sua
comprobatione Plarasenibus &
Aphrodisiensibus largiti sunt, lar-
gienturve, concederunt, concedent-

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εχώσησαν, σωκρατίσσαν, τὰ[υ-
 τα βέβαια γενέας. Όμοιως τε
 ἀρεσκειν τῇ Συγχλήτῳ τὸν δῆμον
 τὸν Πλα[ρασέων καὶ Αφροδισίου]-
 ων τὴν ἐλυθερίαν καὶ τὴν ἀτέλει-
 αν αὐτὸς πάντων τῶν περιγράμμα-
 των ἔχειν, κατάπερ τις πολιτεία
 τῷ καλλίστῳ δικαίῳ καλλίστῳ τε
 νόμῳ ἐσὶν[χειριδίῳ, ή δότῳ δῆμῳ]
 καὶ Ρωμαίων τὴν ἐλυθερίαν καὶ
 τὴν ἀτέλειαν ἔχει, φίλη τε καὶ σύ-
 μμαχοῦ στα. Τὸ δὲ τέμπλον
 Θεᾶς Αφροδίτης ἐν πόλει Πλα-
 ρασέων καὶ Αφροδισίων ιερὸν εἰ[σω]
 ταντῷ τῷ δικαίῳ, ταυτῇ τε
 δεισιδαιμονίᾳ, ⁽⁸⁾ ὡς δικαίῳ, καὶ
 ἡ δεισιδαιμονία, τὸ ΕΦΕ]σίας
 ἐσὶν ἐν Εφέσῳ. Κύκλῳ τε ἐκείνῳ
 τῷ ιερῷ ἔτε τέμπλον, εἴτε ιερὸς]
 τόπον ⁽⁹⁾ ἀσυλοῦ ἐστι. "Οπως
 τε ἡ πόλις καὶ οἱ πολεῖται οἱ Πλα-
 ρασέων [καὶ Αφροδισίων τῷ] ν
 κωμῶν, χωρίων, ὄχυρων, μάτων,
 ὄρων, περισόδων πρὸς τὴν φιλί-
 αν, τὸ [εἰφόρον]ν, κρατῶσιν, χεῶν-
 ται καὶ πιζῶνται τε, πάντων
 τῷ περιγμάτῳ ἀτελεῖσι, μήτε
 φόρον διαίτῃ τινα αἰτίαν ἐκείνων
 διδόναι, μηδὲ ξυνεισφέρειν ὄφει-
 λωσιν, [ἀλλ' αὐτοῖς κατέστησαν
 μὲν ταῦτα ἐν ἑαυτοῖς κύρωσιν
 χεῶνται,]

ve, ea rata est si ma fore. Si-
 mili etiam modo Senatui placere
 populum Plarasenium et Aphro-
 disenium quoad res omnes liber-
 tatem habere et immunitatem,
 prout quevis alia civitas optimo
 jure optimaque lege usa, que a
 Populo Romano libertatem habet
 et immunitatem, amica sociaque
 nostra. Templum autem Deae
 Veneris in urbe Plarasenium et
 Aphrodisenium sacrum eodem ju-
 re, eademque religione esto, quo ju-
 re quaque religione est Deae Ephes-
 in Epheso. Quodque in circuitu
 est istius templi, sive septum, sive
 sacer locus, jure Asyli esto. Ut
 autem civitas civesque Plarasen-
 ses et Aphrodisenses vicos, cas-
 tella, munitiones, fines, proven-
 tus, amicorum ritu, quantum in
 nobis est, possideant, utantur,
 fruanturque, rerum omnium im-
 munes, neve tributum eorum no-
 mine qualecumque ob causam
 pendant, neve pecuniam conferre
 teneantur, sed liberè iis utantur
 juxta propriam post hæc decreta
 competentem ipsis potestatem *

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Desunt

Desunt quædam, ad ὄρκιον certè & νόμον, i. e. juramentum & legem istam, spectantia, quorum utriusque in Epistolâ Antonianâ mentio. Quippe, ex parte Romanorum, lege cavendum erat ut data Plarasensibus & Aphrodisiensibus hæc promissa servarentur; ex parte Plarasensium & Aphrodisiensium, præstandum Romanis erat juramentum, in fide se & amicitia permanuros. Credibile est hoc quod dedimus decretum, idem illud suisse (Divi Augusti tunc vocatum) quod Romam allatum est ab Aphrodisiensibus, quo melius jus asyli & religionem Veneris tuerentur. Divo enim Augusto sunt tributa omnia Reipublicæ Romanæ ab inito triumviratu acta. At siue idem fuerit siue diversum, spero non fore absuturum tam cognatum, tam illustre ornamentum à splendidioribus, quæ post dabuntur, Annalium Taciti editionibus.

Monumentum Stratonicense.

IDEM non verebor dicere de religiosissimo quod insequitur Psephismate, quo traduntur Jovis & Triviæ ceremoniæ, quodque, idem qui & cætera, transcripsit illustriss. Cos. Sherardus, suscepto ad Stratoniceam & quæ circumvicina sunt itinere, anno Dom. 1709. Unâ enim Senatum adiere, imperante Tiberio Caesare, & Stratonicensium & Aphrodisiensium civitas; hi de suâ Venere, illi de Jove & Triviâ, deque asylis & de religionibus solicii. Utique etiam eadem adhibuere impetrandi juris argumenta; vetus Dictatoris Cæsaris, recens Divi Augusti decretum. Et quidem quod ad Augusti decretum attinet, ejus videntur meminisse in hoc ipso lapide Stratonenses. Magni enim faciunt *sacra Jovis & Hecates* (hoc est Deæ Triviæ) *asyla*, tanquam *sacro Senatui probata*, juxta decretum Augusti Cæsaris (si lacunam recte implevimus) *& æterna Reipublicæ Romanæ*. Sed ut hæc constare possint, ætas monumento tribuenda est infra annum U. C. 726, ante Christum 25, quo primùm Cæsar Octavius à Senatu Augustus, Græcè Σεξαῖς, appellatus est. Habe igitur non levi curâ, sed & summâ simul fidelitate restitutum è duabus lapidis disrupti partibus, sicut fors

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fors tulerat proiectis, apud Stratoniceam Cariæ olim civitatem,
Eski-bissar hodie vocatam.

Decretum Stratonicenstum de Jovis & Trivie ceremoniis.

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 ΤΩ[παρεδρο]ΙΕΝΓΡΑΦΩΣΜΙΑΤΗΣΒΟΥΛΗΣΚΑΘΩΣΚΑΙΕΠΙΤΩΝΕΝΤΗ
 ΠΟ[λειδικασθεντωνδιηγ]ΙΟΡΕΥΤΑΙΕΑΝΔΕΤΙΤΟΥΤΩΝΟΙΕΡΕΥΣ
 ΗΟ[ευνούχος]ΜΗΠΟΙΗΣΗΝΟΧΟΥΣΑΥΤΟΥΣΕΙΝΑΙΤΟΙΣΑΥΤΟΙΣΟΙ
 ΣΚΑΙ[αμαρτανονταστουεπαι]ΙΔΑΣΤΟΝΔΕΤΩΝΠΑΙΔΩΝΜΕ
 ΤΗΣΥΜΝΩΔΙΑΣΕΝ[κριθεντα]ΕΙΣΤΟΥΣΕΦΗΒΟΥΣ ΤΗΣ
 ΠΟΛΕΩΣ * * * * *

Ἐπὶ Στεφανόφόρῳ Πτολεμαῖς *Sub Stephanopheroro Ptolemæo ..*
 [Διον]υσίᾳ γραμμα- sententiam dicente ..
 τέως [σεβαστ]ῆς βαλῆς ἐπόνθῳ, Dionysii F. scribā venera-
 τικὴ πόλιν ἀναφεν⁽¹⁾ τῇ τῷ πρε-
 ειότων αὐτῆς μεγίστων θεῶν ιρβετ, maximorum Deorum,
 [περνοία] Χρυσαορέως Διος καὶ ejus præsidum, Chrysæoris Jo-
 'Εκάτης, ἐκ πολλῶν καὶ μεγά-
 λῶν καὶ σωμαχῶν κινδύνων σε-
 σῶδι, ὃν καὶ τὰ ἵερὰ ἀσυλα, καὶ
 οὐκέται, καὶ ἵερα σωκῆλῳ, δόγ-
 ματι Σε[βαστ]ῆς Καίσαρῳ, καὶ]
 τὸ τῶν κυρίων Ρωμαίων αἰώνιο
 αἰχῆς ἐποιήσαντο πρεφανεῖς ἀν-
 αργεῖας· Καλῶς δὲ ἔχη πᾶσαν
 πτερδίων εἰσφέρεις εἰς τὴν πρέστης
 Θεοὺς ἐντέλειον, καὶ μηδένα καὶ
 θὸν παρεχούσιν τῷ βύσεβεν, καὶ λία-
 νθέν αὐτὲς· Καθίδευται δὲ ἄγάλ-
 ματα ἐν τῷ σεβαστῷ βαλεντείῳ
 τῶν πρεσβευτῶν θεῶν, Πτοφα-

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νεσάτας παρέχοντα τὸ θεῖας δυ-
 præbentia divinæ potentiae mani-
 νάμεως ἀρετὰς, δι’ ᾧ τὸ
 σύνπαν πλῆθος θύει τε ὑπὸ Πhi-
 λιθουμιᾶ, ὑπὲν οὐχεῖται, ὑπὲν ⁽²⁾ θύχαε-
 σεῖ αἰτεῖ τοιούσι] δε τοτες ⁽³⁾ ἐπι-
 φανεσάτοις θεοῖς, κακῶν δι’ Diis tam eximiè presentibus,
 ύμνωδίας πρεσόδος ὑπὲν θεοπειάς atque eâ quæ per hymnodiam fit
 δύστελλον αὐτὸς [διατελεῖ] Ἐδοξε
 τῇ βροτῷ αἰτεῖσθαι νῦν, ἐκ colendo perseverat: Placuit con-
 τινῶν ⁽⁴⁾ ἐν γεγονότων, παιδας cilio, deligi nunc ex clarè genitis
 τελεάνοντα, οἵσινας καθ’ ἐκάστων pueros triginta, eosque singulis
 τηλήμερον μέτρῳ τῶν δημοσίων παι- diebus unā cum publicis puerorum
 δοφυλάκων [ἀνίεν]αι ὥπαδ[εν]ιας custodibus junc̄tos comites ad cu-
 εις βροτοβούλεον λαμπεμονῆνιας riam procedere, albis indutos, οἱ
 ὑπὲν θεοφανημένοις θάλλοις, ἔχον- olivâ coronatos, ramosque simili-
 τας δι’ μῆτρας χειροῖς οἷμοίως θάλ- ter oleaginos manibus gestantes,
 λλοις, οἵτινες, συνπαρεργον[τῷ] ὑπὲν qui, præsentē tum citharistâ tum
 κιθαρεισθαι καὶ ηὔχει[θ], ⁽⁵⁾ ἀσούλαι præcone, decantabunt hymnum,
 ύμνον, ὃν ἀντὶ συντάξην Σώσαν- qualem Sosander Diomedis F.
 δε[θ] Διομήδες ὁ Γεραμματοῦς. scriba composuerit. Siqui autem
 Εἳν δέ τινες τῶν αἰρεθέντων è pueris sic delectis inter ephebos
 παιδῶν ἐνηκτιῶσιν εἰς τὰς ἐφή- adsciscantur, eorumve aliqui mor-
 βούς, ή ὁ μηδεὶς, θεῶν βροτόντει, riantur, Diis sic volentibus, inter
 ἐπιελθούσωσιν μὴ ἐνηκειθέντες εἰς ephebos non adsciti, alios eorum
 τὰς ἐφήβους, ἀλλοις ἀνθαγεῖσθαι loco ad eandem hymnodiam deli-
 [τοτετάς] Τῇ τινὶ αὐτοὺς ύμ- gi, puerorum custodibus οἱ pædo-
 νωδίαν, τῶν παιδοφυλάκων ὑπὲν nomo rem scripto notam facienti-
 τῷ παιδονόμος Φανερὸν τέτο ἐν- bus, ut in omne ævum idem per-
 γεύφως ποιεύσιν, ιπέρε τῷ maneat ordo electionis, οἱ obse-
 [ισιν εἰς τὸν πάντα] αἰῶνα τινὶ crationis, οἱ cultūs Deorum;
 αὐτοὺς διαμεῖναι τὸ ανθαγέστερος concessâ tamen iis licentiâ, quo-
 τάξιν, ὑπὲν θεοπειάν, ὑπὲν θύσει- ties eorum aliqui aut non bene
 αν τῶν θεῶν, οἵσις ἐξεστίας valeant, aut luctu doméstico im-
 [αὐτοῖς ὥπόταν] τινὲς αὐτῶν

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μὴ ὁσιν ἡγεῖσ, οὐ πένθει ὀικείῳ κατέχωνται. Εὰν δέ τι τέτων μὴ περιχθῇ, οἱ μὲν ἄρχοντες καὶ ὁ π[αιδονόμος] ἔσωσαν ὑπεύθυνοι ἀτεβέατο· Οἱ δὲ δημόσιοι παιδοφύλακες δεσμωταί [τηνία ἐνέχωνται.] Ετι τὸν καθέκαστον [τον ἐμιαυτὸν] γενόμενον ιερέα τοῦ Εκάτης καταλέγεται τὸν ἐν τῷ τῶν αἰτιοπολίῳ τοῦ Θεᾶ καὶ τῶν συνεγύντων παιδας καθέκαστον [ἐμιαυτὸν] καὶ αὐτὸς αἴσιοις τὸν συνήθη ὑμνον τῷ Θεῷ, καθὼς ἀναθεν ἐγένετο, ἔχοντα ἐξουσίαν καὶ τὸν πατέρα[ν], ὁ τρέπτω καὶ αὐτῶν τῶν παιδῶν, εἰὰν οἱ μὲν πατέρες μὴ παρέχωσιν αὐτὸς πρέστης ὑμνωδίαν καὶ δύστειαν, [οἱ δὲ παιδεῖς μὴ περιστρέψιασιν, δίκιοι εἰσαντέλιας, οὐδὲ ληπτοὶ οὐδὲ βλάπτοι, ποιεῖται, διδόντως τῷ ιερέως καὶ [τῷ παιδεύτι] καὶ δινόχος τὰ ὄνοματα τῶν παρέδρων] ἐνγράφωσι, μιᾶς τοῦ βλάπτος, καθὼς καὶ ἐπὶ τῶν ἐν τῷ πόλει δικαθέντων διηγέρεται). Εὰν δέ τι τέτων οὐ ιερεὺς οὐδὲ [έννυσχος] μὴ ποιήσῃ, ἐνόχος αὐτὸς εἶναι τοῖς αὐτοῖς οἷς καὶ [ἀμαζελάνοντας τὸν παιδας]. Τὸν δὲ τῶν παιδῶν με τὸν ὑμνωδίας ὀντας τοῖς τετέλιας εἰς τὰς εὐφῆμους . . . τούς πόλεως * * * * *

pediantur. Horum autem siquid omittatur, Archontes, οἱ puerorum rector impietatis rei agunt: Puerorum verò publici custodes in vincula conjiciuntur. Porro placet, ut qui quotannis fuerit Hecates sacerdos quosdam, ex iis qui in sacro Deae circuitu οἱ in vicinia degunt, pueros quotannis . . . conscribat, qui οἱ ipsi consuetum Deae hymnum concinent, prout ab antiquo factum est: idemque habeat in puerorum parentes, eaque ac in ipsos pueros, auctoritatem; si parentes quidem ad hymnodiam οἱ supplicationem liberos non submittant, οἱ si pueri non se affiduos sistant; litem intendendo, seu delatione, seu alia qua voluerit via; exhibente ad secessori nomine in scriptis, οἱ sacerdote, οἱ qui pueros instituit eunucio, die concilii primā, sicuti de iis quae ad civitatis jurisdictionem attinent, praescriptum est. Sin horum aliquid prætermiserit sacerdos, aut eunuchus, pœnis iisdem fore obnoxios, quibus οἱ ipsi delinquentes pueri. Puerum verò, post celebratam ritè hymnodiam, ad lectum inter ephebos * * * * *

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His tam imperfectè desinentibus libet & illa altera connectere non minus imperfectè incipientia. Suadent enim tot cognatae res, & verba, ut unius & ejusdem Psephismatis divisa partes esse videantur, ad sacra Jovis & Triviae pertinentes. Neque obstat Serapium hic inserius memoratum; quia eundem fuisse Jovem & Serapidem, tum nummi probant Ζεὺς Σεραπίς inscripti, tum alia apud nos Stratonicæ urbis inscriptio, ΔΙΣ ΣΕΡΑΠΕΙ, i. e. Jovi Serapidi sacra. Immò idem fuisse Stratonicensium Serapium & Curiam, βασιτήριον dictam, ex infra positis facilè elicetur.

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ΑΥΤΟΥΚΑΙΤΟΝΜΕΝΠΑΙΔΟΝΟΜΟΝΑΝΑΓΡΑΦΑΙ
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ΓΡΑΦΗΝΑΙΔΕΤΟΦΗΦΙΣΜΑΕΝΤΗ... ΕΔΡΑΤΟΥΒΟΥΛΕΤ
ΤΗΡΙΟΥΕΝΔΕΞΙΑΠΡΟΣΤΗΝΑΙΩΝΙΟΝΔΙΑΜΟΝΗΝΗΣ
ΕΥΣΕΒΕΙΑΣΤΩΝΘΕΩΝΤΟΔΕΑΝΑΛΩ.. ΤΗΣΕΠΙΓΡΑ
ΦΗΣΕΞΟΔΙΑΣΘΗΝΑΙΥΠΟΤΩΝΕΠΙΣΤΑΤΩΝΤΟΥΒΟΥΛΕΤ
ΤΗΡΙΟΥ.

* * * Έικόνα λιθίνως ἔχει ... curare ponendam imaginem σαν τὸ ὄνομα τὸ ιερᾶ. Καὶ τὸν lapideam, ipsius nomine in μὲν παιδονόμον αναγεγένθαι τὸ scriptam. Et rectorem puerorum literatè conscribere Psephisma ἐν τῷ περγάμῳ Σεραπίου παιδίκη. Τὸν δὲ ιερέα τὸ Θεόν ανατίσαι τῷ λιθίνῳ, ἔχει σαν αναγεγεγράφια τὰ ⁽⁶⁾ διαφέροντα τὴν Φυφίσματον ἐν τῷ ιερῷ τῷ Θεῷ. Αναγεγένθαι δὲ τὸ Φύφισμα ἐν τῇ περέδρᾳ τῷ βαλδυνεῖσιν ἐν δεξιᾷ, πρὸς τὴν αἰώνιον διαμονὴν τὸ διάτελεῖα τῶν Θεῶν. Τὸ δὲ ανάλογα τὸ Πηγεγεφῆς ἔξοδιαστῶαι ωστὸ τῶν ἐπιστελῶν τῷ βαλδυνεῖσι.

autem sacerdotem lapideam ponere, inscripta habentem quae priuata sunt Psephismatis in Deo ipsius templo. Conscribendum autem Psephisma in primo curiae subsellio, à dextris, ad æternam cultūs Deorum permanentiam. Sumptum autem ad inscriptionem præbendum esse à Curiae Epistoliis.

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⁽¹⁾ * * * γράψατο πότε τελῶν ἀνδρῶν, κ. τ. λ. i. e. Cof. designatus iter. & tert. Triumvir, &c. Suaviter hic ridere liceat extritum ex nostræ inscriptionis capite male faustum Antonii nomen; nec non & tertium illum, quem quidem Romæ non geslit, consulatum: planè ut in magistratum non unâ apud Grutrum serie, pag. ccxcv. ccxcviii. Id enim & Romæ & in provinciis factum, non casu, non injuriâ temporis, sed iussu Senatûs, & acerbo in Antonium odio, postquam vir infanus, intersector Ciceronis, & emancipatus Cleopatîæ, patriæ suæ hostis & judicatus & profligatus fuerat. At quæ reliqua sunt facile explentur ex edicto & epistolis quas Ephesi ante quadriennium de-derat, quasque Josephus *Antiq.* lib. 14. servavit sic incipientes, Μάρκος Ἀντώνιος αὐτοκράτωρ, edictum verò, Μάρκος Ἀντώνιος αὐτοκράτωρ τελῶν ἀνδρῶν καὶ πατέρων τοῦ θησαυροῦ περγαμάτων, εἶπεν. Eadem Latinè passim, sed & pleniora, leguntur in Antonii nummis; quorum unum ejus Epistolæ prefiximus: ut ibi scilicet, præter titulos Antonii, & jugatam ei Cleopatram, spectetur διόνυσος ὁ μαλίχιος καὶ χαεδόνες, i. e. Bacchus mītis, & lētitia dator, insistens cīstæ Asiaticæ, quam se per Asiam & appellari & colivolt egregius M. ANTONIUS. IMP. COS. DESIG. ITER. ET. TERT. IIIVIR. R. P. C. Tum scilicet, cùm, ut inquit Dio, lib. 48. τὰς τε πόλεις ἡγυεολόγη, καὶ τὰς διωσεῖας διπέργεται, i. e. emunxit argento civitates, & dominatus vendidit.

⁽²⁾ Τελῶν ἀνδρῶν ΤΗΔ . . . i. e. Triumvir secundū, nam imperfectum hocce ΤΗΔ . . . ab initio suit ΤΗ ΔΕΤΤ. aut ΤΗ ΔΕΤΤΕΡΑΙΑ, hoc est, τῇ δὲ δεύτερᾳ, seu secundū vice; extritis tamen literis posterioribus, ad delendam, cum Antonii nomine, secundi ejus Triumviratū memoriam. Signatur igitur tempus scriptæ hujus Epistolæ post initum secundum Triumviratum, circiter U.C. 717, ante Christum 34. At, quæ unâ cum epistolâ mittebantur, πότε τελῶν τριμετρία ad confirmandum Caïi Cæsaris decreta, & δόγμα Senatus quo illud etiam τριμετρία confirmatum est, annorum erant 713 & 714, rogatu civitatum ex publicis nunc tabulis descripta.

⁽³⁾ ἀντιφωνηθεῖσα, i. e. transcripta, aut verbatim transumpta. Ecce habemus novi commissi vocabulum, sed & Josepho occasione planè parili usurpatum: ψηφίματα καὶ γράμματα . . . ἀντιφωνηθεῖσα, *Antiq.* l. 14. c. 10. §. 26. Hudson. ἀντιφωνῆσις verò significat πότε τελῶν, hoc est Iov, Latinè exemplar dictum, ex scripto aliquo autographo verbatim transumi. Atque hinc est quod in Liturgiis nostris Ecclesiasticis petitiones sacræ iisdem mox verbis repetita *Antiphona* nominentur.

⁽⁴⁾ Αἱ μᾶς βελομαὶ ἐν τοῖς δημοσίοις . . . γεζήματα ἔντάξαι. Non aliter ac in datis ad Tyrios ab eodem ipso Antonio, διάταγμα ἐμὸν . . . περὶ τῆς βελομαὶ μᾶς φερτοῖσι, τῷ μὴ εἰς τὰς δημοσίες ἔντάξῃ διλησ, Josephi Ant. lib. 14. c. 12. §. 5. Prius in Philippiacā V. Cicero, regna, civitates, immunitates, in æs, accepta pecuniâ, jubebat incidi. Hac se ex commentariis Cæsaris agere dicebat.

⁽⁵⁾ Γεζήματα Καίσαρος, i. e. literæ Cæsaris, de beneficiis Aphrodisiensium populo concessis; quasque ipsi postea Aphrodisenses Romam, teste Tacito, attulere; manente etiamnum hocce titulo literarum, quamvis ipsæ literæ perierint. Has verò nusse mittit Aphrodisiensibus, unus qui id potuit, Antonius. Nam (quod questus est paulò ante Cicero Philip. I. 7. 10.) eo uno auctore commentarioli, chirographa, & libelli Cæsaris sunt probati: Eo uno dispensante, immunitates datae, & vestigalia sublata à mortuo jam C. Cæsare: idque contra auctoritatem Senatûs, qui censuerat, ne qua tabula post idus Martias ullius decreti Cæsaris, aut beneficii figeretur. Notabile etiam, quod in æde Telluris interrogatus à Senatu Antonius num inter aëta C. Cæsaris immunitates aliquæ datae? nullæ, respondebat: manifesto, ut propria ipsius Epistola nunc indicat, mendacio. Vide, præter Philippicam primam, Dionis lib. 46. in ipso fine, & Plutarchum in Antonio.

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⁽¹⁾ * * * Υπάλει λόγος εποίσαντο. Αρίσκειν τὴν συγχλήτω περὰ ἐν ὁ Γάιος Καῖσαρ ὑπὲρ Πλα-
εγοῖς καὶ Ληροδοτοῖς ἴνεαν, αὐτὸς ἦταν, κ. τ. λ. i. e. * * * Coss. dixerunt: Placere
Senatū quantum al ea quae de *Plarasenibus & Aphrodisiisibus* Caius Caesar censuit, &c.
Configendum erat huiusmodi proœmium quo promptius cætera Senatū consulti
intelligerentur. Cum verò res unicè spectet ad eorum quæ Caius Caesar dederat, &
Triumviri comprobarent confirmationem, poteram magis audaculè supplevisse,
Λένιος Μάρκος, Γάιος Σάβιος, "Ταῦται, λόγος εποίσαντο, i. e. *Lucius Marcius, Caius Sabinus,*
Coss. dixerunt, &c. Iis enim consulibus, anno U. C. 714, aëta hæc fuisse luculentè ex
Dionis historiâ constat. lib. 48. p. m. 253. ταῦτα μὲν ἐν τῷ δύο ἔτει ἵψθο, i. e. Hæc,
inquit, duobus iñis annis evenire. Annos verò intelligit primi Triumviratūs priores
duos, hoc est, U. C. 712. & 713. τῶν δὲ θηγυνομήνων, ἐν τῷ Δικιός τε Μάρκου καὶ Γάιος Σα-
βίου ὑπάτερον, ταῦτα τοῦτον αὐτοὺς περιχθίσα, αἴρεται ἐπὶ τῷ οἰλυαρχίᾳν ισηλθον, κο-
ροντος τοῦ βαλῆς θαλεῖ, i. e. Anno autem insequenti quo Coss. fuere *Lucius Marcius, Caius Sabinus,*
aëta Triumvirorum, ex quo ad Oligarchiam res perducta est, auctoritatem à Senatu
aceperere. Hæc igitur de Senatū consulti tempore è Dione. Formam quod attinet
Proœmii, eam ex non dissimili mutuamur Senatū consulo, jubente ratam esse senten-
tiā ejusdem Cæsaris, apud *Jos. Antiq. lib. 14. cap. 10. §. 10.* Πόπλιος Δολαβίλλας, Μάρ-
κος Αἰώνιος, οὗται, λόγος εποίσαντο. Περὶ δὲ δύομάν συγχλήτω Γάιος Καῖσαρ οὐαὶ τελείων
ἴκενε... περὶ τέττων ἀγίσκων ἡμῖν βεβαῖα φύεται, κ. τ. λ.

⁽²⁾ τῷ idem Θηκεάματι, i. e. pro rati Triumvirorum comprobatione. Ecce illud Θηκεάμα
cujus exemplar Antonium rogavunt Aphrodisenses, Aphrodisiisibus verò miserat An-
tonius.

⁽³⁾ Ω δικαῖος καὶ ή διειδαιμονία [ποτε]σίας εἰν τοις Εφέσοις, i. e. quo jure, quæve religione
Deæ Ephesiæ templum est in Epheso. Deæ dico Ephesiæ, quia præcessit Θεᾶς. Vetat
enim lacunæ spatum nimis arctum ne legatur id quod mallem, Αρτέμιδος Εφεσίας. Cum
verò eadem hic Veneri Aphrodisensi, ac Dianæ Ephesiæ, jura sint concessa; repe-
tenda ea ex Strabone: quo auctore, Alexander Dianæ Ephesiæ templum stadii unius
circitu sacrum & inviolatum esse voluit. Illic aliquantum addidit Mithridates.
Ast Antonius noster, tanto Ephesi honore post pugnam Philippicam exceptus, & ur-
bis partem aliquam Asyli jure honestavit. Aut si Ephesi, una cum Dianâ suâ Po-
lymammia, tricipitinam illam Lepidi, Antonii & Octavii majestatem in ipsorum num-
mis signavere: qualen unum è Vaillantii numism. Gr. huc accersimus; ad illustran-
dam inscriptionem nostram, qua non tantum tres Triumviri, sed & data Ephesiis jura
memorantur. vid. *Strab. lib. 14. Appian de bell. civ. lib. 5.*

⁽⁴⁾ πότερος ἄστοις εἰσι, i. e. sacer in circuitu locus jure Asyli esto. En igitur, rem habe-
mus, de quâ quæstio habita à Senatu est, & responsum redditum ab Aphrodisiisibus,
juxta Taciti Annales, sub Tiberio.

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⁽¹⁾ Τῇ τῶν προετόνων αὐτῆς μεγίστων θεῶν προνοιαὶ Χρυσαρχίων Διὸς καὶ Ἐκάτης, maximorum De-
orum Chrysaoris Jovis & Hecates, urbis praesidum, providentiā. Dii Stratonicæ Praesides
Jupiter & Hecate ex Tacito aliisque notis; ex Strabone verò Chrysaoris Jovis apud
Stratonicenses appellatio. Εἰ δὲ ἐν τῇ χώρᾳ Στρατονίκην δύο ιερά, ἐν μὲν Δαρύνοις τὸ τοῦ
Ἐκάτης ἐπιφανέστερον... ιερός δὲ τοῦ πόλεως τὸ τοῦ Χρυσαρχίων Διὸς, κ. τ. λ. lib. 14. i. e. Sunt au-
tem in agro Stratonicensium templo duo, Hecates unum insignissimum in Lagenis, alterum
prope urbem Jovis Chrysaoris. Hoc igitur Stratonicensis Jovis cognomento, ut notio-
re longè & celebratore, lacunam nos implevimus: Quanquam in duabus, quas datu-
ri sumus, Stratonicæ urbis inscriptionibus, occurrant Διὸς Ρεμβενόδος, & Διὸς Σεργίπεως,
diversa ejusdem numinis cognomina. Quorum quidem Ρεμβενόδος poeticum quid &
Deæ Triviae cognatum sapere videtur. Non verò abnuerim, si quis Σεργίπεως malit, le-
gatque περὶ τοῦ Σεργίπεως Διὸς καὶ Ἐκάτης. At at quodcumque fuerit, à Christianis, ævo
Theodosiano, Ethnica Deorum nomina non ferentibus, deletum arbitror.

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(¹²) Ἐνχαράστε Θεοῖς, i. e. *Dii gratias agit.* Notandum igitur in religione Ethnica vocabulum, quod videri poterat Christiane ferē prōprītum. Pari modo occurrit apud Polybium ἐχαράστα τῷ Θεῷ, in marmore Adulitano ἐχαράσια [τῷ Θεῷ] Θεὸν Αἰγ. pag. 81.

(¹³) Ἐπιφανεστός Θεοῖς, i. e. *Dii presentissimis,* non, uti vox primā facie postulaverit, *in signissimis, illustriſsimis.* Bene enim homines επιφανεῖ insigne dicantur & illustres, Dii propriūs & latiniūs præſentes: Unde Virgilianum,

Nec tam præſentes alibi cognoscere diuos.

Igitur ut Antiochus V. Syris suis Θεοῖς Επιφανεῖς, ita Romanis Cæsar Augustus Deus præſens habebatur. Ubi ne quis dubitet de locutionis istius verâ causâ & origine, utramque Θηρανῆ intentionem complexus est Ovidius, jurato sic Augusti numine,

Per te præſentem conspicuumque Deum.

Hæc non parum faciunt ad intelligendam illam Christi, veri & magni Dei, Θηρανῆ, quâ ejus παρουσία seu adventuū D. Paulus qon semel indigicavit: maximè ad Titum scribens, ii. 13. Θηρανεῖαν δέξῃς τῇ μητρὶ Θεῷ καὶ σωτῆρι ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ Χριſτοῦ.

(¹⁴) Ἐκ τινῶν δὲ γεγονότων παιδαριών τελάνοια, i. e. triginta pueros clarè genitos, claris ortos parentibus. Non aliter atque in Iudis Romanis secularibus, de quibus Zosimus lib. 2. Εν τῷ δὲ παλάτιον Ἀπόλλωνος λεγῷ τετούμενοι Θηρανεῖς μὲν παρεζήνων ποστῶν, οἱ πάντες ἀμφιθαλεῖς, ὅπερ ἵστιν αἱμοφόρες τοὺς γονεῖς ἔχοντες ΠΕΡΙΟΝΤΑΣ, ὄμοις ἄδειοι τῷ τε Ἑλλήνων καὶ Ῥωμαίων φυτῷ καὶ παιᾶν, διὰ τοῦτο Ρωμαῖοις τούτοις πόλεις, i. e. in Apollinis æde Palatina ter novem illustres pueri cum totidem virginibus omnes utrinque florentes, hoc est, qui ambos parentes habent eminentiores, Graecæ Latinæque linguae hymnos canunt & Pænas, per quos subditæ Romanis urbes sospitantur. In quibus notabis, amice Lector, γονεῖς ἔχοντες παιδίατα id ipsum esse quod in lapide nostro παιδεῖον γεγονότες, & in Horatiano carmine Od. iv. 6. puer que claris patribus orti. At Leunclavius Zosimi interpres, & post eum Ludovicus Desprez, commentator in seculare carmen Horatii, malè illud παιδίατα accepere pro superstites; unde & vera vocis intentio, & instituti lex ipsa violata est. Vide, supra pag. 148. notam ad Σώματα τὰ παιδίατα, & pag. 127. citatum ex Eu-stathio τὸ ξένων παιδίατα.

(¹⁵) Ασοῦται ὅμοιοι ἐν τῷ συντάξῃ Σώματος, i. e. decantabunt hymnum qualem composuerit Sofander, scriba civitatis. Ita etiam & lege Secularium, ut inquit Zosimus, ὄμοιοι ἄδειοι νεωτεροπόροι, i. e. concinitur hymnus recens compitus. Ergo ab Augusto Cæſare, quo tempore Seculares ederet, id operis Horatio demandatum occasionem dedit Hymno, sive Carmini Seculari, tum recens condito; quod quidem Ethnicam Λιλανῆα non malè dixeris, sive supplicationem communem, qualis in hoc psephismate præcipitur, pro salute & incolumitate Populi Romani. Unde honorem sibi præsumens, Poeta auguratus est, matronam aliquam Romanam aliquando sic fors dicturam;

—Ego Diis amicum

Reddidi carmen, docilis modorum

Vatis Horatt.

Od. iv. 6.

(¹⁶) Αναγεγένεται . . . τὰ διαφέροντα τῷ Φιλομάλοι, i. e. psephismatis quæ potiora sunt conſcribere. Hæc nimirum i. e. magis principalem ejus partem, non verò integrum psephisma, conſcribi in templo Hecates iustæ Stratonicenses; brevitati credo, & loci commodo studentes. Et aliás equidem breviata fuisse hunc in modum psephismata, exemplo est singularis antiquis lapis, qui inter cimelia Honoratissimi Oxoniæ Comitis loci dignitatem meruit, summo herois eruditissimi erga vigilias nostras & bonas omnes literas favore, hos in usus nunc concessus. Facit dictionis puritas, & prævia senatus ante plebiscitum factum consultatio, ut Atheniensium esse statuam; qui Trœzeni, Argolicæ civitati, cum de libertate sua periclitaretur, auxilia submiserant. Defunctio periculō grātē rem recolunt Trœzenii, missa ad Athenenses psephismate, & Zenodoto auxiliatorum duce non mediocriter laudato. At Zenodotum civem suum novā laude

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de cumulant Athenienses, juxta proprium ipsorum in hoc lapide senatus consultum, & repetitam ē Træzeniorum psephismate partem ejus principalem. Porro secutum est istiusmodi senatus consulto par omnino plebiscitum, ideoque in eodem lapide brevatum. Sed excidit aliquid ab initio, ex conjectura non difficili iedintegrandum.

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[Ἔδοξε τῇ Βαλῇ ἵπανίσαι μὴ] Στιλωόδολον Βαυκίδην, ἐπειδὴ Τροιζίωιοι γεγένθασιν ἐν τῷ φρέσομά τῷ πρὸς τὰ τόδιν, ὅτι ἀνὴ ἄχαδός γίγαντες τὰν πόνημα τὸν Τροιζίνων, καὶ σῆ καρδὸν ἀφικόνθινθενθῆσος καὶ σωκηγνώσασθο αὐτοῖς, εἰς τὰν ἐλαύθεραν τὸν πόλεως, καὶ ιξαγωγὴν τῷ Φερρᾶς, αἴσια τὸ τε πατεῖδος, καὶ τῆς ἐκκινήσθεντος, καὶ δύνατος τῆς παρεχόντος τὴν πόλειν πρὸς Τροιζίωντας καλιστὶ αὐτὸν τὴν εἰσιναντέν τὴν δεῖπνον.
Ἔδοξε τῷ Δήμῳ. Ιατρόκλεις Πυθίωνος ἔπειτα μὴ ἄλλα καθότι ἡ βελή ἐψηφίσατο. Τὸ δὲ ψήφισμα τὸ περὶ Τροιζίων, ὃ προεβουλόσασθαι βολή, αναγεγένθαι εὺ στήλη λαβόντη, καὶ στῆσαι εὺ τῷ ιερῷ τῷ Ἀπόλλωνος, διπλελῆσασθαι δὲ τὸν αναγεγένθει τῆς ιξελασάς, τὸ δὲ αὐταῖς λαμα τὸν στήλην δέραι τὸν τῆς πόλεως ταμίαν]

Placuit Senatui laudare quidem Zenodotum Baucidis F. quoniam Træzenii scripserunt in psephismate ad civitatem dato, quod vir bonus fuerit erga Træzeniorum civitatem, quodque in tempore adveniens lato iis auxilio opitulatus fuerit, ad liberandam civitatem, & educendum praesidium, pro patriæ sua bonore, proque necessitudine & benevolentia qua civitati cum Træzenii intercessit: Quinetiam invitare ipsum in Prytaneum ad prandium.

Placuit Populo: Iatrocles Pythionis F. sententiam dixit. Cetera quidem prout Senatus decrevit. Psephisma verò de Træzeniis, quod Senatus prævio consulo dedit, in stelā lapidea conserbere, & reponere in templo Apollinis; scritptionis verò curam habere urbis inquisitores; sumptumque in stelam faciendum præbere aerarii præfectum.

(1) ΤΡΟΖΗΝΙΟΙ. Scriptura singularis pro τΡΟΖΗΝΙΟΙ, dum in τῷ Ζ antiqua perpendicularis linea praestat τῷ ιωτῇ vicem. Sic etiam in τῷ lapide est translatum inter Monumenta vetustatis Kempiana, ab eruditissimo R. Ainsworth descripta & illustrata, Londini, 1720. pag. 43. Zenodotum nostrum patria fusse Atheniensem tenore lapidis evincitur. Ne quem hic forte subeat Zenodoti Træzenii nomen, quem Historia scriptorem laudat Dionysius Halicarn. lib. 2. cap. 48.

(2) Ἐλαύθερια. Sæpe à Medis, sæpe à Lacedæmoniis periclitati sunt de libertate Træzeniū. Toties verò servati "Hærit' Elaùthreiai βανὸν, i. e. Solis Liberatori aram dedicârunt. Pausan. Corinth. cap. 31.

(3) Προγένελεστατο. Harpocrationi προγένελεστατο, πρῶτον τὸ βαλῆ φρεσίν, περὶ τὸ δημοτικούθινον i. e. à Senatus ante consilium quam ad populum de eoristratur. Auctore contra Alchinem Demosthene.

(4) Εξεταστο. Ita antiquitus à quibusdam vocabantur qui alter "Ευθυνοι, Λογισται, Συνήγοροι, i. e. magistratus aliquam magistratum rationibus examinandi prefecti. Vide Arist. Polit. lib. 6. cap. 8. Ex his vero omnibus colligenda est non parva historici hujus matmoris & ætas & utilitas.

Ecce

Monumentum Ancyranum.

Ecce, Lector, fidem liberavimus dato monumento Stratoniensi, quanquam non quale promisimus, Latino. Cum enim Latinum istud (*pretia rerum venalium exhibens*) ævi sequioris fuerit; mutato consilio, Græcam ejusdem urbis huc accersimus inscriptionem, cæteris quæ præcessere antiquitatibus & materia, & ætate, longè magis congruentem. Properamus igitur ad destinatam præsenti operi coronidem, celeberrimum marmor Ancyranum: in quo scripta Historia Augustæa parte quidem aliquâ secuta est, at parte aliâ, eâque longè majorc, antecessit æram, ad quam collimavimus, Christianam.

Anno U. C. 766, ætatis suæ 76, administratæ verò reipublicæ 57, mortuus est Augustus Cæsar, pacifier orbis, & Romani imperii nascenti jam Christo stator. Defuncti testamentum apud se depositum Virgines Vestales unâ cum tribus æquè signatis voluminibus protulerunt. “ De tribus istis voluminibus (inquit Suetonius) uno mandata de funere suo complexus est: altero, inde dicem rerum à se gestarum, quem vellet incidi in aheneis tabulis, quæ ante Mausoleum statuerentur: tertio, breviarium totius Imperii, quantum militum sub signis ubique esset, quantumque pecuniaæ in ærario & fiscis, & vectigaliorum residuis”. In ære igitur incisus est, sicut jusserrat Augustus, rerum suarum index; præsumptâ quidem spe perennitatis, at certiore longè exitii periculo. Quæ enim secuta est barbaries, magis confandi æris quam legendæ historiæ studiosa, dum in ignobiliores usus metallum disfingit, quantum in se erat, acta Cæsaris abolevit. Aetumque penitus fuisset de elegantissimo vitæ Augustæa breviatio, ni devota ejus majestati numinique Ancyra civitas desumptum inde exemplar marmoreis sex tabulis inscriperat. Hoc habuit in Galatiâ persugum qui in Româ suâ stare & perennare non potuit Augusti honos. Sed & hîc quoque bipedum nequissimi, ob tantuli lucellum æris quo quadrati lapides figuntur, sedâ multa vulnera monumento, quædam etiam & insanabilia intulerunt. Adeò mirè decepta est antiquitas, dum quodcumque olim optaverit cæteris longius perennaturum, æri id, potius quam marmori, confisit. Etenim præ

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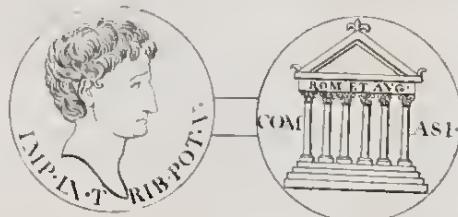
lapideis paucissimæ hodiè supersunt aheneæ inscriptæ tabulæ. neque credibile est tot ex ære nummos effugere potuisse humanam avaritiam, si non in gremio Terræ matris per barbara ista sæcula latuissent, & sub his nostris politioribus argentum pretio superassent.

Sed ordienda est historia monumenti; repetendumque quâ olim occasione transit ex Europâ in Asianam continentem, quâque iterum fortunâ ex Asianâ in Europam rediit. Hunc in finem obsequar imperiis Josephi Justi Scaligeri, literarum suo tempore tyranni; qui in securis omnibus Ancyranis lapidis editionibus hæc præviè ponenda censuit. Verba sunt ipsius Augusti in edicto pro Judæis per Asiam dispersis, apud Josephum, Antiq. lib. XVI.6. Τότε φήφισμα τὸ δοθέν μοι ὑπ' αὐτῶν, ὑπὲρ τῆς ἐμῆς εὐτελείας ήν ἔχω πρὸς πάντας ἀνθρώπους, καὶ ὑπὲρ Γαῖς Μαρκίς Κενωνίου, καὶ τότο τὸ διάταγμα κελέων ἀνατεῦγηναι ἐν ἐπισημοτάτῳ τόπῳ γενηθέντι μοι, ὑπὸ τῆς Κοινῆς τῆς Ἀστας ἐν Ἀινύῃ (malè editur vulgo Ἀργυρῷ inquit Scaliger.) Εἳν δέ τις παρεῖη τι τῶν προειρημένων, δώσει δίκην ἢ μετρίαν. Εἰηλογεαφήθη ἐν τῷ Καισαρεῖ νῦν. i. e. Datum mihi à Judæis decretum de mea quam erga humanum genus habeo pietate, deque Caio Marcio Censorino, unâque etiam præsens hoc edictum reponi jubeo in dicato mihi loco insignissimo à Communi Asia; ἐν Ἀργυρῷ (ut habent vetera exemplaria; ἐν Ἀργυρῷ, hoc est in argenteâ aut argentatâ tabulâ, ut voluit Samuel Petitus; ἐν Ἀγκύρῃ autem, hoc est in Ancyra, ut statuit magnus Josephus Scaliger.) Prædictorum verò si quis quid fuerit transgressus, pœnas dabit non mediocres. Columnæ inscriptum fuit in templo Cæsarî.

Hæcum primùm Scaliger cùm ederet Emendationem Temporum; & Scaligero, cum hoc ipsum monumentum ederet, non sine plausu quodam, assentiens Casaubonus. Hinc factum est, ut clariss. editores Hudsonus & Havercampius etiam in Josephi textum emendationem illam Scaligeranam, quanquam non sine notâ dubii, receperint. At nullâ mihi auctoritate persuadebitur, figi potuisse longè in Galatiâ edictum ad Asianos Judæos spectans, qui tum adeò frequentes Pergami, Smyrnæ, Ephesi, aliisque Proconsularis Asiae civitatibus agitabant. Neque credam unquam dedicatum Cæsari Augusto ab Asiae Communi templum alibi quâm intra Commune Asia querendum. Ergo decipiat, si quem poterit decipere, fortuita vocum ΑΡΓΥΡΗ & ΑΓΚΥΡΗ similitudo. Quod si solicitanda fuerit vox ΑΡΓΥΡΗ, neque placuerit ἐν Ἀργυρῷ, cum Samuele Petito, interpre-

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terpretari, verisimilior longè ratio suadet, non jam ἐν ΑΓΚΥΡΗ, sed ἐν ΠΕΡΓΑΜΩ esse corrigendum. Pergami enim, neque alibi quām Pergami, intra Commune Asiae statutum est Augusto jam viventi templum. Unde Tiberius ad Senatum, *Divus Augustus, inquit, sibi atque urbi Romæ templum apud Pergamum sibi non prohibuit.* Tac. An. 4. c. 37. Templum ipsum, eo titulo sacra-



tum, in Latino Augusti nummo hīc inserto cernitur. Secutusque est ΠΕΡΓΑΜΗΝΩΝ nummus, inscriptus ab anticā parte ΣΕΒΑΣΤΩ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΙ ΒΟΥΛΑΙΩ, à posticā M. ΦΟΥΡΙΟΣ Ο ΙΕΡΕΥΣ ΚΑΙ ΑΣΙΑΡΧΗΣ, i. e. *Augusto Cæsari consiliorum præsidi M. Furius sacerdos & Asiarcha.* Cūm ergo in edicto pro Judæis Asianis, ad calcem sic legatur, *Columnæ inscriptum fuit in templo Cæsarlis,* longè videtur manifestius templum Augusti Pergamenum, quām Ancyranum per ista verba subindicari. Neque deligi fortasse poterat ad conservandas hasce Judæorum immunitates, insignior aliquis aptiorve, quām templum Pergamenum, locus; quia Pergameni cum Hyrcano Judæo pontifice recentem amicitiam jam nuper iniverant, vetustissimamque quandam cum Hebræâ gente, ab Abrahami usque temporibus, sunt testati. *Jos. Antiq. l. 14.*

Hæc necessariò præfati integrum nunc relinquimus Lectori, an rectā migrare velit in Scaligeri sententiam, an cum ratione ab eādem penitus discedere. Cæterū vera, ut opinor, translati in Ancyranum templum monumenti occasio hæc ferè suit. Anno U. C. 728. mortuus est Galatiæ rex Amyntas, scriba olim Deiotari, ast ante decenium in ejus defuncti regnum ab Antonio suffectus. Tum verò Cæsar, qui alias multas nationes regibus eas possidentibus concederat, Galatiam tamen negavit Amyntæ filiis; redactamque in provinciam, cum tribus ejus populis, Trocmis, Tolistobois, Tectosagis, misso à se M. Lollio pro prætore administrandam tradidit. Ex illo, quæ antea Tectosagorum seu urbs, seu

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seu castellum fuerat, in totius Galatiæ metropolim est erecta; & Augusta Tectosagorum Ancyra, ab instauratore Cæsare Augusto nominata est. Talem se tulit in inscriptione, ex schedis D. de Tournefort & D. Faure in R. D. Montfauconii Palæographiam relatâ, pag. 162. Μητρόπολις τῆς Γαλατίας Σεβαστὴ Τεκτοσάγων Ἀγκύρα. Surgit interea novum urbis ornamentum; quod alii hodie Prytaneum conciliis epulisque publicis destinatum, alii templum Augusti fuisse autumant. Sed more antiquo utriusque proculdubio usum Ancyranis præstítit---*Hoc illis curia templum*---ut de Laurentibus Virgilius cecinit,---*Hæc sacræ sedes epulis*---Consecrati Augusto, non jam ab Asiæ, sed ab suo Galatiæ populo, postquam, stultissimâ per Romanum orbem adulatione, Deus haberi cœperat, certa credo, quamvis imperfecta memoria extat, hunc ad modum, ut videtur, resacienda.

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*Galatarum Populus sa-
cerdotio funetus Cæsari
Augusto statuit.*

Hanc è schedis Tournefortianis templi consecrationem discimus. Porrò vocatum fuisse Sebasteum, locumque ei primitus extruendo dedicatum fuisse in suburbio, à Pylæmene regis Amyntæ filio, schedæ docent Fabrianæ; quas dum ære numerato emit, emptaque indignis modis corrupit, finas reverâ fecit Paulus Lucasius. Extant hodiè in Suburbio Ancyro, Sebastei ipsius parietibus inscriptæ, & unâ cum prioribus correctæ sic leguntur. *Vide sis Lucasii Itiner. secund. Tom. I. p. 308, & Montfauconii Palæograph. p. 154.*

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'Επι Μ. Λολλίῳ Πυ- Sub M. Lollio Pylæmenes re-
λαίμενης βασιλέως Αμύν- gis Amyntæ filius populo
τούτιος δημοθεοῖς τε φόρος δημοθεοῖς epulum dedit, spectacula ter-
δισεδοκενοθεασδετρις δις ἔδωκεν. Θεας δὲ τελος dedit, certamen gymnicum
εδοκεναγωναγτυμνικον ἔδωκεν, ἀγῶνα γυμνικὸν curribus & equis deful-
αρματωνκαικελητων ἄρματαν καὶ κελήτων ἐ riis dedit, similiter Tauro-
δοκενομοιωσδετατρομα δῶκεν, ἐμοιως δὲ ταυρομα- macbiam & Cynegium; &
χιανκαικτηγιονκαιπρος χιαν καὶ κυνῆγιον, καὶ προς juxta urbem loca consecra-
πολιντοποτσανιεροσενοποτ πόλιν τόπος ἀντερωτεν ἐπει vit, ubi Sebasteum est, &
σεβαστειονεστικαιηπανιητ Σεβαστὴν ἐστι, καὶ τανῆγυ- Panegyris cum equorum
πιστεινταικαιοιπποδρομος εἰς γενεταικηδοιπποδρομος. cursu celebratur. Albio-
αλβιοριετειποριοσδημοθο Άλβιορεξ Ατεπέρισο δημοθ- rix F. Ateloprigis populo
ινιανεδοκεναδιαντασανε ονιαν ἔδωκεν, ἀνδρείαντας ανέ- epulum dedit, statuas dedi-
θικενκαισαροσκαιιοταιας θηκει Καίσαρος καὶ Ιωλίας cavit Cæsaris & Iulie Au-
σεβαστης γυστα.

Sequuntur

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Sequuntur alia his similia principum viorum munera, quæ vertentibus annis, & recurrente panegyri, sive dedicationis Sebastæi die sexto, & data & inscripta suis crederem. Ea habe, Lector, apud Lucasium in Itinerario, & Montsauconium in Palæographiâ. At mecum interim recollige, Commune Galatarum propriam sibi vendicâsse hujus templi neocoriam; utque sub Asiarachâ factum est à Communi Asiæ, ita Galatas sub Pontifice suo Galatarchâ sacra Augusti administrâsse: quem itidem *Sebastophantem*, hoc est, Augustalem Flaminem appellitabant. Ita sert inscriptio, quam, post Dousanas chartas & Cossianas, perfectiorem longè reportavit Tournesortius, insertam nunc Palæographiæ Montsauconii pag.

161. Τ.Φλ. Γαῖανὸν κ. τ. λ. Ἀρχιερέα τῆς Κοινῆς τῶν Γαλατῶν, Γαλατάρχην,
Σεβαστοφάντην, καὶ κτισὴν τῆς μητροπόλεως Ἀγκύρας Φύλην, κ. τ. λ. i. e.
Titum Flavium Caianum tribus sua honoravit, *Pontificem Communis Galatarum, Augustalem Flaminem, conditorem metropolis An-*
cyre..

Hoc templum his religionibus instructum non immerito sibi honorem arrogavit renovandi, conservandi, & posteritati sanctius tradendi nobilissimi indicis Augustæi. Ergo dextrâ lèvâque, tripli hinc illinc serie (curante proculdubio Proprætore & ab ahenis Romæ pilis in provinciam secum deferente) ante ⁽ⁱ⁾ pulcherrimum qualis hic conspicitur introitum, in marmoreos vestibuli

(i) pulcherrimum qualis hic conspicitur introitum; de quo Tournesortius in Itinerarii Orientalis Epistola xxi. à Monseigneur le Comte de Pontchartrain. Vous jugerez, Monseigneur, de la beauté de cet édifice par le dessin que vous m'avez ordonné d'en faire graver. Il estoit tout de marbre blanc à gros quartiers: & les encoignures du Vestibule, qui subsiste encore, sont alternativement d'une seule pièce à angle, rentrant en maniere d'équerre, dont les côtez ont trois ou quatre pieds de long. Les pierres d'ailleurs sont attachées ensemble par des crampons de cuivre, comme il paroit par les trous où ils estoient enchaînés. Les maitresses murailles ont encore 30 ou 35 pieds de haut. Pour la façade, elle est intierement détruite. Il ne reste plus que la porte par où l'on entroit du Vestibule dans la maison. Cette porte qui est quarrée, a 24 pieds de haut sur 9 pieds 2 pouces de largeur. Et ses montans qui sont chacun d'une seule pièce, sont épais de 2 pieds, 3 pouces. C'est à côté de cette porte qui est toute chargée d'ornemens, que l'on grava.... la vie d'Auguste en beau Latin, & en beaux caractères. L'inscription est à trois colonnes à droite & à gauche: mais outre les lettres effacées tout est plein de grands trous, semblables à ceux qu'auroient pu faire des boulets de canon. Et ces trous, que les paysans ont fait pour arracher les crampons, ont emporté la moitié des caractères. Les paremens de pierres sont des quarrez barlongs sont propres, & d'un pouce de saillie. Sans compter le Vestibule, cet édifice est dans œuvre de 52 pieds de long, sur 36 pieds & demi de large. Il y reste trois fenêtres grillées, de marbre à grands carreaux semblables à ceux de nos fenêtres.

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parietes est incisus. Latuit tamen orbem eruditum, usque dum, anno 1554,⁽²⁾ Antonius Wrantzius Dalmata, vir consultissimus, episcopus Agriensis, & Latinarum decus elegantiarum Augerius Gislenius Busbequius, à Ferdinando Romanorum rege ad portam Othomanicam legati, primum omnium exemplar in Europam retulere: sed, magno literarum infortunio, per homines suos descriptum. Serò demum anno 1689, alterum repertum est⁽³⁾ ap-

(2) Antonius Wrantzius &c. Historiam rei ipso à Busbequio accipe, in legationis Turcicæ epist. prima, dat. Viennæ Austriæ Kal. Septemb. M DL IV. Constantinopolim veni ad diem xx. Januarii ibique collegas reperi, quos dixi, Antonium Wrantzium, & Franciscum Zay. — “Ancyram venimus, mansione à Constantinopoli xix — Hic pulcherrimam vidimus inscriptionem; & tabularum illarum, quibus indicem rerum à se gestarum complexus est Augustus, exemplum. Id quatenus legi potuit, per nostros homines transscribendum curavimus. Extat incisum aedificii, quod olim sortasse prætorium fuerat, diruti & tecto carentis marmoreis parietibus; ita ut dimidia pars intactibus ad dextram, dimidia ad sinistram occurrat. Suprema capita ferè integrata sunt, media lacunis laborare incipiunt. Infima verò clavarum & securium iecibus ita lacerata, ut legi non possint. Quod sane rei literariae non mediocre

damnum est à doctis merito deplorandum.

Unum igitur idemque erat Apographum, quod Verantianum à quibusdam dictum, ab aliis verò Busbequianum, editum est ab Andrea Schotto in scholiis ad Aurelium Victorem, & à Gruterocum Clusii de eo epistolâ. pag. cc xxxiii. Accesere postea notulæ à Lipsio, & largior à Caſaubono commentarius: solenne jamdudum ad Suetonii editiones additamentum.

(3) Apographum inter postumas Danielis Cossionii chartas. De quo libellus extat, ab auctore mihi dono datus, editus Lugduni Batavorum anno 1693, inscriptusque Memoria Cossioniana; hoc est Danielis Cossionii vita breviter descripta; cui annexa est nova editio Monumenti Ancyranii; priorre Aug. Busbequii emendator & auctior; cum notis Jacobi Gronovii. Sequitur Monumentum Ancyranum ad fidem utriusque exemplaris restitutum: à Samuele Pitisco, ad Suetonii sui calcem iteratum. graphum

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graphum priore longè auctius & emendatius, inter postumas Danielis Cossenii, Hollandici mercatoris, chartas. Qui vir eximiâ probitate, & eruditione non vulgari celebratus, dum in villâ Hadgilarense prope Smyrnam incomitatus fortè spatiaretur, per furiales duos ab Algerio sicarios miserè confosus periit.

Quantum autem Busbequianam superavit Cossiana charta, à Tournefortianâ tantum ipsa superatur. Nam qui Orientem peragravit, jussu & peculio regis Ludovici XIV, eruditissimus vir *Jos. Pitton de Tournefort*, aditâ an. 1701. Ancyra, optimum omnium exemplar è parietinis ipse tabulis descripsit. Et exitu ejusdem anni, ⁽⁴⁾ Smyrnam ab Ancyra petens, cum illic me offenderet jam tum hujusmodi deliciis nimio plus gaudentem, humanissimè mihi dono dedit exceptam manu propriâ inscriptionem; cum editis aliquando conferendam, typisque, si res ita ferret, evulgandam. Idem acriter hortatus est cl. Jac. Gronovius, chartæ Cossianæ editor, cùm in patriam per Lugdunum Batavorum redux, anno 1703, ad eum salutatum viseram. Etenim monumenti à se exculti insigne adeo auctarium non illætus vidi, ultroque mecum alia multa Cossiana, quæ non sunt hujus loci, communicavit. Memor itaque promissæ Heroibus duobus operæ, jam tandem quicquid reliquum fuit, ineunte præsenti seculo, universæ inscriptionis Ancyranæ, ad sacra Historicorum defero: Atque ita quidem, ut versiculi versiculis, lacunæ lacunis, mutilata verba mutilatis, ut sanctè mihi affirmavit Tournefortius, accuratissimè respondeant. Quod nisi fieret, vix ullæ tentari poterant, citra turpissimæ hallucinationis periculum, aut emendationes, aut supplementa. Neque insuper habui schedas, quæ olim pulcherrimæ erant, *Fabrianas*; quanquam in Itinerario isto *Lucasiano* interpolatione serè perpetua vitiatas. Sciant enim antiquitatum studiosi Dominum . . . la *Fabre* (seu *Faure* ut loquuntur Provinciales) eruditulum mercatorem Gallum, Ancyrae aliquot annos commoratum, nitidius solito exemplar opportunis sibi horis descriptissime; amicisque suis, Smyrnæ postea degentem, humaniter ejus copiam fecisse. At ⁽⁵⁾ Pau-

(4) *Smyrnam ab Ancyra petens cùm illic me offenderet, &c.* Cujus & ipse meminit Tournefortius, Epistola xxii. ubi de Smyrnâ agit, edit. Lugd. Tom. 3. pag. 377.

(5) *Paulus Lucasius, empto à defuncti viduâ exemplari isto Ancyrano, &c.* Probè hoc

novit, & illustrissimo Col. Sherardo, sciscitanti de exemplari Fabriano, sèpius à se viso & tractato, sic retulit vir bonus & eruditus, Rev. P. Jerothéus, Collegii Capucinorum fratrum Smyrnæ tum præpositus, anno nempe, 1706.

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lus Lucasius, emptis à defuncti viduâ chartis Græcis & Latinis, interque eas exemplari isto Ancyrano, orbi quidem illud, in patriam suam reversus, sed ineruditio venditavit. Nemo enim paulo doctior aut prudentior chartæ adeo interpolatæ, suspectæ & pro nulla habitæ aut mentem advertere aut fidem adhibere sustinuerit. Inerant tamen non pauca, quæ penitus excussa, exactius trutinata, & cum Tournefortianis sedulò collata, egregio in his nunc edendis usui fuerunt. Sensum intra lacunas breviores verosimiliter continuatum dedi: sicubi prompta occurserent & præsentia à Criticâ, à Grammaticâ, atque ab ipsis insuper historiis subsidia. Ita tamen ut optaverim Lectorem suo in his judicio, suoque ingenio niti.

RERVM.GESTARVM.DIVI.AVGUSTI.QVIBVS.ORBEM.TERRARVM.IMPERIO . POPVLI . ROM .
SVBIECIT.ET.IMPENSARVM.QVAS.IN.REMPVBLCAM.POPVLVMQVE.ROMANVM.FECIT.
INCISARVM.IN.DVABVS. AIENEIS. PILIS . QVAE. SVNT.ROMAE.POSITAE.EXEMPLAR.
SVBIECTVM .

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ANNOS. VNDE VIGINTI. NATVS . EXERCITVM . PRIVATO . CONSILIO . ET . PRIVATA . IMPENSA
COMPARAVI . PER . QVEM . REMPVBLICAM . obstinatione . FACTIONIS . OPPRESSAM
IN . LIBERTATEM . VINDICAVI . Senatus . DECRETIS . HONORIFICIS . ornatus . IN . eum
ORDINEM . SVM . adieetus a CONSVLIBVS . inter consulares ut sententiam dice
5 REM . LOCVMQUE . et IMPERIVM . MIHI . DEDIT . RESPVBICA . VT . PRAETORI . SIMVL . CVM
CONSVLIBVS . Irto et Pansa . Huic AVTEM . EODEM . ANNO . ME . suffetum
CONSYLEM . cum edidisset . ET . TRIVMVIRVM . REIPVBLCÆ . CONSTITVENDÆ
QVI . PARENTEM . conivrati occidissent IN . EXILIVM . EXPVLI . IVDICIIS . LEGI-
TIMJS . VLTVS . POSTEA . BELLVM . INFERENTIS . REIPVBLCÆ
10
ARMA . TERRA . MARIQVE signaque . TOTO . ORBE . TERRARVM . circumulti
VICTORQE . OMNIBVS . supplicibvs . CIVIBVS . PEPECI . et in EXILIO sponte sua de-
GENTES . QVIBVS . TVTO . licet . SERVARI . QVAM . EXCIDERE . Malui
15 MILLIA . CIVIVM . ROMAnorum adalita SACRAMENTO . MEO . FVERVNT . CIRCITER . quingen-
TA . EX . QVIBVS . DEDVxi in colonias . AVT . REMISI . IN . MVNICIPIA . SVA . STIPENDiis folu-
TIS . MILLIA . ALIQVANTO . plus quam . TRECENTA . ET . IIS . OMNIBVS . AGROS . Adsignavi
AVT . PECVNJAM . PROPRIAM ex . ME . DEDi7 Longas NAVES . CEPi . SESCENTAS . praeter ali-
AS . SIQVAB . MINORIS quam triREMIES . FVERVNT
BIS . OVANS . TRIVMPHAVi tris egî CURVLIS . TRIVMPHOS . ET . APPELLATUS sum vicens et
20 fñEL . IMPERATOR . cumque pluris . TRIVMPHOS . MIHI . SENATUS decretivisset iis tamen
agendis superSEDI . et tantummodo laurvs . DEPOSVI . IN . CAPITOLIO . Delmatis et Illur-
iis quoque . REILO . NVNC . perdomitis . OB . RES . Aut ductu meo aut per lega-
TOS . AVSPICIIS . MFIS . TERRA . MARIQVE . PROSPERE . GESTAS . Qvaesitamque bello re-
QVIEM . DECREVIT . SENATVS . SVPPPLICANDVM . ESSE . DIS . IMMORTALIBUS
25 . . . QVO . ex SENATVS . CONSVLTO . SVPPPLICATVM . EST . IN . DEORUM
. . . . VO VM . REC AVT . R
. . . . AM . TER . DECIENS
. . . . AE . POTES
. . . . ME . IA
. Cætera huic Tabulae inscripta cuncta penitus evanuerunt.

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Tabula secunda à lœvâ.

PATRITIORVM . NVMERVM . AVXI . CONSVL . QVINTVM . IVSSV . POPVL . ET . SENATVS . SENA		
TVM . TER . LEGI . ET . IN . CONSVLATV . SEXTO . CENSVM . POPVL . CONLEGA . M . AGRIPPA . EGI		
LVSTRVM . POST . ANNVM . ALTERVM . ET . QUADRAGENSIMVM . FECI . QVO . LVSTRO . CIVI		
VM . ROMANORVM . CENSA . SVNT . CAPITA . QUADRAGIENS . CENTVM . MILLIA . ET		
SEXAGINTA . TRIA . MILLIA . Alterum . CONSVIARI . CVM . IMPERIO . LVSTRVM 5		
censumque SOLVS . FECI . CENSORINO et ASINIO . COS . QVO . LVSTRO . CENSA . SVNT		
CIVIVM . ROMANORVM . capita QUADRAGIENS . CENTVM . MILLIA . ET . DVCEN		
TA . TRIGINTA . TRIA . MILLIA . Tertium . CONSVLARI . CVM . IMPERIO . LVSTRVM		
CONLEGA . TIB . Catfare feci SEX . POMPEJO . ET . SEX . APPULEIO . COS .		
QVO . LVSTRO . ETiam censa sunt ROMANORVM . CAPITVM . QUADRAGIENS . IO		
CENTVM . MILLIA TRIGINTA . ET . SEPTEM . MILLIA		
LEGIBVS . NOVIS latis EXEMPLA . MAIORVM . EXOLESCENTIA . revocavi , et fugientia		
IAM . EX . NOSTRO conspectu AVITARVM . RERVN . EXEMPLA . IMITANDA . proposui		
ATVS . ET . SACERDOTES		
V . TIS Efec	15	
QUATTVOR . AMPLISSIMA . COLLEGIA		
MPEIAM . ET . MVNICIPI . . . M . VNI		
APVD . OMNIA . PVLVINARIA . PRO . VALETUDINE		
VSVM . EST . IN . SALIARE . CARMEN . ET . SACROSAN		
VO . . . EREA . . . TRIBVNICIA . POTESTAS . MIHI 20		
MVS . . . ITER . M . IN		
populo SACERDOTIVM . DEFERENTE . MIHI . QVOD . PATER . MEVS . procuravit		
fuscepi id SACERDOTIVM . ALIQVOD . POST . ANNOS EO . MORTUO qui post patrem		
meum illud procvraverat . CVNCTA . EX . ITALIA		
valetudine . QVANTA . ROMAE . NVNquam	25	
P . Sulpicio . C . VALGIO . CONSVLIBVS		
adDIS . HONORIS . ET . VIRTUTIS . AD . MEMORIAM		
SENATVS . CONSACRAVIT . IN . QVA . PON		
ANNIVERSARIVM . SACRIFICIVM . FACEPE		
R . . . T . . . IN . VRBEM . EX	30	
AVIT		
PARS		
ET . PRIN A . MIHI		
ONOS RAE		
res in Hispania . Galliaque PROVINCIIS . PROSPERE	35	
NEP . QV ARAM		
pro REDITV . MEO . Confacrar ut AD . EAM		
MAGISTRATVS . ET . SAC		
IVM . C . P		
CVSSVM . ESS		
per . TOTVM . IMPERIUM POPVL . ROMANI . parta est terra . marique pax . CVNQUE a condita urbe . Ianum Quirinum BIS . OMNINO . CLAVSVM 40		
fuisse PRODATVR . EVM . SENATVS per . ME . PRINCIPLEM . ter CLAVDENDVM . ESSE . jussit		
Inter filios MEOS . QVOS . sinistra fors MIHI . ERIPVIT . EORM . CAIVM . ET . LVCIVM . CAESAR		
ES	45	

Tabula tertia à lœvâ.

HONORIS . MEI . CAVSA . SENATVS . POPVLVSQVE . ROMANVS . ANNVM . QVINTVM . ET . DECI		
AGENTIS . CONSYLES . DESIGNAVIT . VT . EVM . MAGISTRATVM . INIRENT . POST . QVIN		
QVENNIVM . ET . EX . EO . DIE . QVO . DEDVCTI . SVNT . IN . FORVM . VT . INTERESSENT . CONSILIS		
PUBLICIS . DECRETIV . SENATVS . EQVITES . AVTEM . ROMANI . VNIVERSI . PRINCIPLEM		
IVVENTVTIS . VTRUNQVE EORM . PARMIS ET . HASTIS . ARGENTEIS . DONATVM . AP 5		
PELLAVERVNT?		
PLEBEI . ROMANA . VIRITIM . SS . TRECENOS . NVMERAVI . EX . TESTAMENTO . PATRIS		
MEI . ET . NOMINE . MEO . QVADRINGEROS . EX . ELLORVM . MANIBIIS . CONSVL		
QVINTVM . DEDI . ITERVM . AVTEM . IN . CONSVLATV . DECIMO . EX . PATRIMONIO		
Yy MEO .		

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10 MEO . IIS . QVADRINGENOS . CONGIARI . VIRITIM . PERNVMERAVI . ET . CONSVL
 VNDECIMVM . DVODECIM . FRVMMENTATIONES . FRVMMENTO . PRIVATIM . COEMPTO
 EMENSVS . SVM . ET . TRIBVNITIA . POTESTATE . DVODECIMVM . QVADRINGENOS
 NVMMOS . TERTIVM . VIRITIM . DEDI . QVAE . MEA . CONGIARIA . PERVENERVNT
ad sefertivm . MILLIA . NVNQVAM . MINVS . QVINQVAGINTA . ET . DVCENTA7
 15 TRIBVNITIAE . POTESTATIS . DVODEVICINSIMVM . CONSVL . XII.TRECENTIS . ET . VIGINTI
 MILLIBVS . PLEBEI . VRBANAЕ . SEXAGENOS . DENARIOS . VIRITIM . DEDI
 ET . CVOIVS . MILITVM . MEORVM . CONSVL . QVINTVM . EX . MANIBIIS . VIRITIM
 MILLIA . NVMMVM . SINGVLA . DEDI . ACCEPERVNT . ID . TRIVMPHALE . CONGIARIVM
 20 IN . Colonii . HOMINVМ . CIRCITER . CENTVM . ET . VIGINTI . MILLIA7 CONSVL . TER
 TIVM . DECIMVM . SEXAGENOS . DENARIOS . PLEBEI . QVAE . TVM . FRVMMENTVM . PVBLICVM
 ACCEPERVNT . DEDI . EA . MILLIA . HOMINVМ . PAVLO . PLVRA . QVAM . DVCENTA . FVERVNT
 PECVNIA . pro AGRIS . QVOS . IN . CONSVLATV . NEO . QVARTO . ET . POSTEA . CONSVLIBVS
M. Crasso et cn. LENTVLO . AVGvre . ADSIGNAVI . MILITIBVS . SOLVI . MVNICIPIS7EA
 25 SESTERTIVM . CIRCITER . SEXSIENS . MILLIENS . FVIT . QVAM . & COLLATIONIBVS . pro
 PRAEDIIS NVMERAVI . ET . CIRCITER . BIS . MILLIENS . ET . SESCENTIENS . QVOD . PRO . AGRIS
 PROVINCIALIBVS . SOLVI7 ID . PRIMVS . ET . SOLVS . OMNIVM . QVI . DEDVXERVNT
 COLONIAS . MILITVM . IN . ITALIA . AVT . IN . PROVINCII3 . AD . MEMORIAM . AETATIS
 MEAE . FECI . ET . POSTEA . Ti. NERONI . ET . CN . PISONI . CONSVLIBVS . ITEMQVE . C . ANTISTIO
 30 ET . D . LAELIO . COS . ET . C . CALVISIO . ET . L . PASIENO . CONSVLIBVS . ET . *Lentulo et messalino*
 CONSVLIBVS . ET . L . CANINIO . ET . Q . FABRICIO . CONSVLIBVS . veteranis quos . EME
 RITEIS . STIPENDIS . IN . SVA . MVNICIPIA reduxi PRAEMIA aere numerato
 PERSOLVI . QVAM . IN . REM . SESTERTIUM MILL
 IMPENDI7
 35 QVATER . PECVNIA . MEA . IVVI . AERARIVM . ITA . VT . SESTERTIVM . MILLIENS . ET
 QVINQVIENS . AD . EOS . QVI . PRAEERANT . AERARIO . DETVLERIM . ET . M . Aemilio
 ET . L . ARVNTIO . COS . IN . AERARIVM . MILITARE . QVOD . EX . CONSILIO
 constitutvM . EST . EX . quo PRAEMIA . DARENTVR . MILITIBVS . QVI . Viginti
 stipendia EMERVISSENT . HS . MILLIENS . ET . SEPTINGENTIENS Tib . Caesari
 nomine et MEO . DETVLI
 40 . . quo . CN . ET . P . LENTVLVS . conyvles . FVERVNT . CVM . D . CERENT
 CENTVM . MILLIBVS . HOMINVMI IBVS O . FRV

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CVRIAM . ET . CONTINENS . EI . CHALCIDICVM . TEMPLVMQVE . APOLLINIS . IN
 PALATIO . CVM . PORTICIBVS . AEDEM . DIVI . IVL1 . LVPERCAL . PORTICVM . AD . CIR
 CVNI . FLAMINIVM . QVAM . SVM . APPELLARI . PASSVS EX . NOMINE . EIVS . QVI . PRI
 OREM . EODEM . IN . SOLO . FECERAT . OCTAVIAM . PVLVINAR . AD . CIRCVM . MAXIMVM
 5 AEDES . IN . CAPITOLIO . IOVIS . FERETRI . ET . IOVIS . TONANTIS . AEDEM . QVIRINI
 AEDES . MINERVAE . ET . IVNONIS . REGINAE . ET . IOVIS . LIBERTATIS . IN . AVENTINO
 AEDEM . LARVM . IN . SVMMA . SACRA . VIA . AEDEM . DEVN . PENATIVM . IN . VELIA
 AEDEM . IVVENTATIS . AEDEM . MATRIS . MAGNAE . IN . PALATIO . FECI7
 CAPITOLIVM . ET . POMPEIVM . THEATRV . VTRVMQVE . OPVS . IMPENSA . GRANDI . REFEKI
 10 SINE . VLLA . INSCRIPTIONE . NOMINIS . MEI7 RIVOS . AQVARVM . COMPLVRIBVS . LOCIS
 VETVSTATE . LABENTES . REFECI . ET . AQVAM . QVAE . MARCIA . APPELLATVR . DVPLICAVI
 FONTE . NOVO . IN . RIVVM . EIVS . IMMISSO7 FORVM . IVLIVM . ET . BASILICAM
 QVAE . FVIT . INTER . AEDEM . CASTORIS . ET . AEDEM . SATVRNI . COEPTA . PROFLIGATA
 15 CENDIO . AMPLIATO . EIVS . SOLO . SVB . TITVLO . NOMINIS . FILIORVM . meorum INCO
 HAVI . ET . SI . VIVVS . NON . PERFECISSEM . PERFICI . AB . HEREDIBVS . meis jussi
 DVO . ET . OCTOGINTA . TEMPLA . DEVN . IN . VRBE . CONSVL
 REFECI . NVLLO . PRAETERMISSO . QVOD . & TEMPORF
 IV . . . M . . . IRVMINEA . A BI
 20 PRAETER . . . IVME . LINV . LVM
 PRIVATO . SOLO . dedicato MARTIS . VLTORIS . TEMPLVM . FORVMQVE . AVGVSTVM . ET
 THEATRV . AD . AEDEM . APOLLINIS . IN . SOLO . MAGNA . EX . PARTE . Ad . id . . .
 EMPTO . FECI . QVOD . SVB . NOMINE . M . MARCELLI . GENERI . NITESCIT7 DONA .
 MANIBIIS . IN . CAPITOLIO . ET . IN . AEDE . DIVI . IVL1 . ET . IN . AEDE . APOLLINIS . ET . IN . AE
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DE . VESTAE . ET . IN TEMPO . MARTIS . VLTORIS . CONSACRAVI . QVAE . MIHI . CONSTI²⁵
TERVNT . HS . CIRCITER . MILLIENS⁷ AVRI . CORONARI . PONDO . TRIGINTA . ET . QVIN
QVE . MILLIA . MNICIPII^S . ET . COLONIS . ITALIAE . CONFERENTIBVS . AD . TRIVMPHOS
MEOS . QVINTVM . CONSVL . REMISI . ET . POSTEA . QVOTIENSCVMQE . IMPERATOR . AP
PELLATVS . SVNI . AVRVM . CORONARIVM . NON . ACCEPI . DECERNENTIBVS . MNICIPII^S
ET . CONFERENTIBVS quae tunc ADQE . ANTEA . DECREVERANT⁷
munvs . GLADIATORIVM . DEDI . MEO . NOMINE . ET . QVINQUIENS . FILIORVM . MEO³⁰
RVM . AVT . NEPOTVM . NOMINE . QVIBVS . MNERIBVS . PVGNAVERVNT . HOMINUM
cireiter DECEM . MILLIA BIS dedi FERARVM . VNDIQE . ACCIN⁷darum
.....spectacVL^A . PROPRIO meo NOMINE . ET . TERTIVM . NEPOTUM
.. Ludos FECI . MED . NOMINE . QVATER . ALIORVM . AVTEM . MAGISTRATUM
absentivm . TER . ET . VIGIENS in collegio XV . VIRORVM . MAGISTER ad³⁵
letto in COLLEGIVM . M. AGRIPPA . . . PER . QVINDECIM viros . C. FVRNIO . C. SILANO . COS.
quintos feci LVDS . saeculares nulli vivorum vijos ante id . TEMPVS . DEINDE . . .
Venationes bestia-
RVM . AFRICANARVM . MEO . NOMINE . ET . FILIORVM . MEORVM . ET . NEPOTVM . IN . CIR⁴⁰
CO . AVT . IN . FORO . AVT . IN . AMPHITHEATRIS . POPVLO . DEDI . SEXIENS . ET . VIGIENS . QVIBVS
CONFECTA . SVNT . BESTIARVM . CIRCITER . TRIA . MILLIA . ET . QVINGENTAE⁷
NAVALIS . PROELI . SPECTACVL^A . POPVL^A . DEDI . TRANS . TIBERIM . IN . QVO . LDCO
NVNC . NEMVS . EST . CAESARVM . CAVATO solo in longitudinem mille
ET . OCTINGENTOS . PEDES . IN . LATITUDINE . mille erant et DVCENTI . IN . QVO . TRI⁴⁵
GINTA . ROSTRATAE . NAVES . TRIREMES . et quadriremes . PLVRIS . AVTEM
MINORES . INTER . SE . CONFLIXERVNT . Atticis et Persicis CLASSIBVS . PVGNAVE
RVNT . PRAETER . REMIGES . MILLIA hominum triginta . CIRCITER⁷
IN . TEMPLIS . OMNIUM . CIVITATIVM . PRINARUM Europee ET . ASIAE . VICTOR . ORNA
MENTA . REPDSVI . QVAE . SPOLIATIS . TEMPLIS is cum QVO . BELLVM . GESSERAM⁵⁰
PRIVATIM . POSSEDERAT . Mae STATVAE . PEDESTRES . ET . EQUESTRES . ET . IN
QVADRICEIS . ARGENTEAE . STETERVNT . IN . VRBE . XXX . CIRCITER . QVAS . IPSE
SVSTVLI . EXQVE . EA . PECVNIA . DONA . AVREA . IN . AEDE . APOLLINIS . MEO . NOMI
NE . ET . ILLORVM . QVI . MIHI . STATVARVM . HONOREM . HABVERVNT . POSVI .

Tabula secunda à dextrâ

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TEM . TIGRANIS . REGIS . PER . Ti . Neronem diademeate ejus capiti imposito transfuli Ar-
 menian . GENTEM . POSTEA . Inquietam GENTEM . ET . REBELLANTEM . DOMITAM PER . CA
 IVM . FILIVM . NEVM . REGI . ARIobarzani gubernandam et frenan-
 30 TRADIDI . ET . POST . ejus mortem . FILIO . EIVS . ARTAVASDI . QVODAM jure Ariobarza-
 DAM . PROVINCIAS . OMNIS . QVAE . TRANS . HADRIANVM . MARE . VERGVNT . et Ponticas Asia-
 NASQUE . IAM . EX . PARTE . MAGNA . REGIBVS . EAS . POSSIDENTIBVS . concessit Siciliam et
 SARDINIAM . OCCVPATAS . BELLO . SERVILI . RECIPERAVIT
 COLONIAS . IN . AFRICA . SICILIA . Macedonia . VTRAQUE . Hispania . in Gallia Comata et
 35 GALLIA . NARBONENSI . Praeter praefidia . MILITVM . DEDVXIT ITALIA . AVTEM coloni-
 AS . QVAE . VIVO . ME . CELEBERRINAE . ET . FREQUENTISSIMAE . FVERVNT . ilxxv.
 DEDVCTAS . HABET
 SIGNA . MILITARIA . COMPLVRA . per nostros duces . AMISSA . DEVICTIS legionibus , recipi
 ex . Hispania . ET . Gentibus Delmatis et PARTHOS . TRIVM . EXERCITVVM . ROMANO
 40 RVM . SPOLIA . ET . SIGNA restituere MIHI . SVPPlicesque . AMICITIAM . POPVL . ROMANI
 PETERE . COEGI . EA . AVTEM . SIGNA . IN . PENETRALI . QVOD . EST . IN . TEMPLO . MARTIS . VL
 TORIS . REPOSVIT
 PANNONIORVM . GENTES . QVAS . ANTE . ME . PRINCIPEM . POPVL . ROMANI . EXERCITVS . NVN
 QVAM . ADIT . DEVICTAS . VEV . TI . CAESAREM . QVI . TVM . PRABERAT exercitibvs
 45 IMPERIO . POPVL . ROMANI . SVBIECI . PROTULIQUE . FINES imperii ad Ilti fluminis
 ripam . QVOD . A . V VS . EXERCITVS . EIS SVRO A . . .
 TVSQUE POS VCIVS
 GENTES . I
 AD . ME . EX . INDIA
 50 APVD QV M . NOSTRAM
 PER . LEGATOS BASTARNARVM . . . N . . . ET . SARMATGRVM
 TANAIMEQUE . ULTRA . REC RVMO . . . REX . ET . HIBER
 AD . ME . SVPFICES . CONFVGERUNT REGES . PARTHORVM . TIRIDATES

Tabula tertia à dextrâ.

REGIS . PHRATIS (sic) MEDORVM . ARTA
 .. RES . BRITANN DAMNO . BELLA . . . ET . TIM . . . ORVM
 MAELO . MAR . OMANORVM . SVEBO . F Rex PARTHORVM
 PHRATES (sic) ORODIS . FILIVS . FILIOS . SVOS . NEPotesque misit in . ITALIAM . NON
 5 BELLO . SVPERATVS . SED . AMICITIAM . NOSTRAM . PER . haec SVORVM . PIGNORA
 PETENS . PLVRIMAEQUE . ALIAE . GENTES . EXPERTAE sunt Romanam FIDEM . ME . PRIN
 CIPE . QVIBVS . ANTEA . CVM . POPVL . ROMANO . nullum omnino fuit legATIONVM
 ET . AMICITIAE . COMMERCIVM
 A . ME . GENTES . PARTHORVM . ET . MEDORVM petierunt per PRINCIPES . EARVM . GENTI
 10 VM . REGESQUE . PER . EOS . ACCEPERVNT . Partibi Neronem regis Phratis . FILIV
 REGIS . ORODIS . NEPOTEM . MEDI . Artabanum . . . REGIS . ARTAVASDIS . FI
 LIVM . REGIS . ARIOBARZANIS . NEPOTEM . . .
 IN . CONSVLATV . SEXTO . ET . SEPTIMO . postquam bella civilia . EXTINXERAM
 PER . CONSENSVM . VNIVERSORVM . Romanorum ciuijVM . REMPUBLICAM
 15 EX . MEA . POTESTATE . IN . SENATVS et populi Romani ARBITRIVM . TRANSTVLI
 QVO . PRO . MERITO . MEO . SENATUS me appellavit AugustVM . ET . LAUREIS
 POSTES . AEDIVM . MEARVM . vinxit . . . IVI . CASV . R . . .
 IANVAM . MEAM . ET . QVA . ST . . . R . IN . VLIA . POSI . . .
 . . VS . QVEM . . . SC . R . . . M . ET . . . VIRTUTIS . CLE
 20 . . . EST . P . . . VS . CLVPEI . . .
 . . . POST . . . D . . .
 . . . ILO . AMPLIO . . .
 . . . CONIEO . . .
 FRTIVM . DECIVM . CONSVLATV . . . Senatus et equester . ORDO
 POPVLVSQUE ROMANVS . VNIVERSVS . . . memoriae . IDQVE
 25 IN . VESTIBVL . CEDIVM . MEARVM . INSCRIBENDVM . . . et in . FORO . AVG
 . . sub QVADRIGAS QVAE . MIHI ex s . c . positae sunt . Scripsi . HAEC . cum
 SYNVM . AGERVM . SEPTVAGENSIMUM sextum.

SVNIMA

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BVMMA . PECVNIAE . QVAM . DEDIT
.. SIS . MILITIBVS . NECESSARIVM
OPERA . FECIT . NOVA . AEDEM . MATRIS *Magnae*
DIVI . IVLI . QVIRINI . MINERVAE
LARVM . DEVVM . PENATIVM . IVVENTATIS
AD . CIRCVM . CVRIAM . CVM . Chalcidico
IVLIAM . *theatrvm* . M. MARCELLI
CAESARVM
REFECIT . CAPITOLIUM . . . USQVE . A . .
PEI . AQVAM MARCIAM LA
IMPENSIS . R
TERRAE . MOTV . INCENDIOQVE . CONSUM
VSQVE . QVORVM . CENSUS . EXPLEVIT.
Basilicam Cai et Luti
theatrvm . POM
GLADIATORVM

Percommode quidem accedit, ut in operosa nuper Suetonii per Sam. Pitiscum editione recuderentur non tantum Lipsi & Casauboni, sed & Jacobi Gronovii in hoc monumentum notæ. Illic igitur, si cui pretium operæ videbitur, integras licebit legere. Nobis interim, ob prodeuntem nunc Inscriptionem pleniorē longè & emendatiōrem, multa ē priūs animadversis, annotatis, conjecturatis, necessariō resecanda veniunt, posthac à re prorsus aliena, & ἀπεριστάτων futura. Eo nomine missa facimus, nec im-meritō, Lipsiana omnia. Tria enim recentiora exemplaria omnes ejus conjecturas aut confirmārunt aut refellerunt. Non pauca verò feligemus ē Casabono, quædam etiam ē Gronovio, quæcunque ejus utiliter feligenda restant. Quæ enim acris ac turbidi vir ingenii effudit contra Lipsium & Casaubonum, Ryckium quoque, Gutherium, & Norisium, doctissimos viros, ab incertiore olim apographo deceptos, hæc parum ad eruditionem, ad veritatem nihil facientia nollem unquam profecta à Gronovio, per me sanè non iterum proficiscentur.

Casanbonianæ ad Monumentum Ancyranum Notæ.

*Et impensarum quas in Remp. populumque Romanum fecit. Non parum gloriari solitus
fuit hoc nomine Augustus, ut resert Dio non uno loco; & in testamento quoque suo
fecerat idem harum impensarum mentionem. Breviter indicant illa apud Suetonium
in compendio earum tabularum; Quod pene omne cum duobus paternis patrimoniiis cate-
risque hereditatibus in Remp. absumptis.*

Tab. i. v. i. Annos undeviginti natus. Velleius Paterculus lib. ii. C. Cæsar xix annum ingressus, mira ausus, ac summa consecutus, privato consilio, majorem Senatu pro Republ. animum habuit. Ubi vides adulationem hominis; ambitiosè enim usus est voce ingressus. Melius Augustus natus, nam anno qui præcessit cædem Julii, nono Kal. Octob. ingressus annum xix erat, ac jam totum ferme confecerat, quando contra Antonium pro Optimatibus bellum primum suscepit. Atque hæc Octavii ætas in equestri statuā fuerat notata, quam ei Senatus in rostris posuerat, teste eodem Velleio. Florus, qui Octavium, quando furori Antonii cœpit resistere, ait fuisse intra decem & octo annos te-

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nerum, ad calculum Octavii annos parum exegerat. [Recte hæc Casaubonus, sed quis exinde non statim emendaret Velleii codices, & pro *ingressus* legeret *egressus*?]

Ibid. Exercitum privato Consilio, & privata impensa comparavi. Florus de Octavio: revocatis ad arma veteranis, privatus, qui crederet? Consulem aggreditur.

Tab. 2. Patritiorum numerum auxi Consul quintum, &c. Sæpius Augustus & patritiorum numerum auxit, & Senatum legit. Vide Dionem in secundo ejus consulatu lib. 49. & 52. sub finem in actis anni DCCXXV. qui Coss. habuit Cæsarem V. & Sex. Apuleium. De eo anno loquitur hic Augustus: nam eodem & Senatum ordinavit, & patritias gentes supplevit.

Ibid. Jussu Populi & Senatus. Dio lib. 49. Διοσαράβης τὸ βελῆς, & lib. 52. τὸ βελῆς οἱ δῆμοι θάργανοι. de populo altum silentium. Tacitus contra, lege Sæniæ hoc negotium Augusto fuisse mandatum scribit. Verè igitur Augustus jussum se ait à Populo & Senatu.

V. 2. Consulatu sexto censum populi conlega M. Agrippa egredi. Huc refer notam Eusebii in Chronico ad numerum MDCCCCLXXXIX. Censu Romæ agitato inventa sunt civium Romanorum xli centum, & lxiv millia. Anno priore consul quintum censuram sive regimen morum suscepserat Augustus, sed census eo anno non est actus, cum maximam ejus partem Roma abfuerat.

Ibid. v. 3. Lustrum post annum alterum & quadragintum feci. Tot anni fuit à novissimis Censoribus Cn. Lentulo & L. Gellio qui lustrum considerunt anno DCLXXXIV. ad hoc lustrum Augusti anno DCCXXVI. factum.

Ibid. v. 6. Afinio Cof. Anno vigesimo post lustrum superius U. C. DCCXLVI.

Ibid. v. 11. Millia triginta & septem millia. Postrema vox vacat; non enim solet addi à Latinè loquentibus, tamen ferri potest. Caf. sed vide notas nostras.

Tab. 3. v. 1. Annum quintum & decimum. Hoc fortasse verum de Lucio: nam Caium xiv natum annos creatum fuisse consulem ex historiâ Dionis, & veteri lapide qui hoc disertè continet, notum est. Quod igitur in altero verum erat, utrique συλληπτικῶς Augustus tribuit.

Ibid. v. 2. Consules designavit. Suetonius cap. Ixiv. sed vide Historiam Dionis, in anno DCCXLVIII. libro 55. V. 3. Interessent consiliis publicis. Vide ad Suetonii cap. xxxviii. V. 6, 7. Consul quintum. Post triumphum Actiacum. vide Dionem. lib. 51. V. 7. In consulatu decimo. Reversus ex bello Cantabrico Dio lib. 53.

Ibid. v. 11. Duodecim frumentationes. Videtur dicere toto illo anno aliisque fe privatis sumptibus turbam frumentantum. Nam in anno duodecim frumentationes, id est, frumenti largitiones fiebant. Vide Suet. nostrum cap. xl. qui de his gratuitis frumentationibus intelligit cap. xli.

Ibid. v. 12. Tribunitia potestate duodecimum. Is fuit annus U. C. DCCXL. quo rediit Augustus Romam ex itinere Gallico, triennio ante suscepto. Eodem anno ludi votivi pro reditu Augusti à Tiberio Nerone Col. sunt editi, ut, & Augustus in locum Lepidi demortui Pont. Max. creatus, ludos Pontificales, ut videtur, edidit. Hæc suæ cause liberalitatis hoc tempore collatae. vide Dionem lib. 54.

Ibid. v. 15. Trecentis & viginti millibus pleb. urbanae. Hoc tempore Augustus Col. duodecimum Caium filium die tirocinii in forum solenni cum pompâ deduxit, quæ fortasse occasio fuit hujus liberalitatis.

Ibid. v. 20. Consul tertium decimum. Eo anno Lucium filium in forum deduxit, ut biennio ante Caium, sicut modò diximus.

Ibid. v. 22. Consulatu meo quarto. Videtur referendum ad Historiam quam resert Suetonius cap. xvii. cum Augustus Brundusium venire coactus est, & desideria millium tumultuantium ordinare.

Ibid. v. 23. Consulibus M. Crasso & Cn. Lentulo. Horum Consulatus incidit in annum DCCXL. vide Dionem lib. 54. in cuius verbis obscuram harum impenfarum Augusti mentionem reperio. ὁ Αὐγύστος, inquit, πολλὰ μὲν αἰσθάνως ὡς ἐκάστοις, πολλὰ δὲ παρεγένεται λαβὼν αἰσθάνεται. Caf. sed & confer cum his notas nostras.

Ibid.

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Ibid. v. 26. Qui deduxerunt Colonias Militum, ut Sulla, Julius Cæsar, & triumviri Coloniarum militarium meminit Velleius lib. priore.

Tab. 4. v. 1. Chalcidicum. Dio in quinto Augusti consulatu, libro 51. επὶ δὲ ταῦτα διετίλετο, τὸ τε Ἀθωνῖον, καὶ τὸ Χαλκιδικὸν ὀνομαστίνον καθίστητο. Hoc aedificium postea Domitianus refecit, ut est auctor Eusebius in Chronicō ad numerum Mmccv. ubi de Chalcidico plura beatæ vir memoriae, Josephus Scaliger ὁ πάντα φέρει.

Ibid. v. 5. Aedem Quirini. Dio in actis anni DCCXXXIX. τῇ Κυζίντε ράτεν καθίστησεν ἐπὶ καυνῆς οἰκεδαιμόνιας.

Ibid. v. 7. Aedem Delim Penatum in Velia. Dionysius Halicarn. lib. 1, loquens de Penatibus. Νίνις ἐν Ρώμῃ δεικνύται ἡ ἀγοραὶ στρατόστρατος, καὶ τὸ θυσίαν καρποῖς φέρεσσαν εἰπεπον οὐδὲν ιδευμένος, οὐδὲροχῆς σκοτεινός, οὐ μέγας. λίγοι δὲ καὶ οὐτοὶ οὐτοὶ γλωτταῖς Οὐίλιαι τὸ χωρίον.—Varro de vita populi Rom. lib. primo Tullium Hostiliū in Ielis, ubi nunc est aedes Deum Penatum. Meminit etiam Festus in voce Mutium.

Ibid. v. 11. Duplicavi fonte novo in ejus rivum immisso. Julius Frontinus de aqueductis urbis Romae: Augustus in supplementum Martiae quiescates aegerent, auxilio aliam aquam ejusdem bonitatis opere subterraneo perduxit usque ad Martiae rivum, quae ab inventore appellatur Augusta.

Ibid. v. 28. Quotiescumque Imperator appellatus sum aurum coronarium non accepi Moris veteris fuit ut quotiescumque dutes exercituum, re feliciter gestā, Imperatores salutarentur à suis, provinciae & sociae civitates ac reges dono darent illis coronas aureas, vel auri tot pondo; quod appellatum est Aurum Coronarium. Hoc, non solum à provincialibus, sed etiam ab Italiae coloniis & municipiis afferri solitum, ab his se non accepisse gloriatur Augustus. Dio in quinto consulatu Augusti lib. 51. παρεῖται τῷ πόλεων τὴν Ιταλίᾳ τὸ χρυσίον τὰ τοῖς σεφάνοις προστίκον τὸν ιδεῖξατο.

Ibid. v. 24. In templis &c. Pridem quòd ista pertinent indicavimus ad lib. 13. Strabonis. Notat diligentissimum ille scriptor de quibusdam signis furto Antonii sublati, ab Augusto restitutis. Plinius quoque libro 34. cap. viii. Fecit Myro & Apollinem; quem à Triumviro Antonio sublatum restituit Ephesii divisus Augustus, admonitus in quiete.

Ibid. v. 26. Statuæ. Adi caput Suetonii in Aug. 52. de iis enim Statuis intelligit Augustus de quibus ibi Tranquillus.

Tab. 5. v. 1. Mare pacavi à prædonibus. Vide ad illa cap. 98. Augusti in Suetonio. per illum se vivere, per illum navigare.

Tab. 6. v. 9. A me gentes Parthorum & Medorum. Loquebatur de Parthis & Medis, qui regem ab ipso petierunt. Strabo, Tacitus, Suetonius, Dio, alii.

Excerpta è Gronovianis ad Mon. Ancyranum notis.

Tab. 2. v. 10, 11. Quadragiens centum millia triginta & septem millia. Triginta quum reponant, nequeo vitio vertere, quum tot dictaverint vulgatum ---IGINTA. Sed quum prius i non agnoscatur ab Cossionario, accessi ad septuaginta Eusebii & voluminis MSti quod citabo. Nam tractavit frater meus in Bibliothecā Medicā volumen, in quo erant aliqua Flori Annæ, & contrafacta post bellum Gallo-græcum epitome, tandem his verbis sequentibus; Censum Romæ cum Tiberio agitans invenit hominum nonages trecenta lxx millia, omnemque orbem venientis ibi xpi notum pacatum censi præcepit. Quod notabile; idem hic ferè numerus qui extat apud Eusebium in Chronicis; hoc modo lectus ab Isaaco Vossio, supra nonages sexenta & septuaginta hominum millia; hoc vero editus à Scaligero, hominum nonagesies tercentena millia. Qui numerus, immanissimus vocatus à Scaligero & Casaubono, ad veritatem actus dici vix aut credi potest, quum ipse Princeps Augustus quo præside collecta est summa, certum & alium proferat, cui parem scripsit Suidas, ab eodem Vossio allegatus. Αυγουστος Καισαρ. Δοξαν αὐτῷ παντας τὸ οἰκήτορες τὸ Ρωμαῖον τὴν προσωπον ἀεθμέν, δείσοντος οἱ τὸ Ρωμαῖον οἰκήτοις τετραγενεῖσι δίκαια μνειάδες καὶ κλειστά δίκαια ἀρδετος. Gronovius pag. 105, 77, 78. Tab.

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Tab. 3. v. 7. *Manibii*. Sic exemplar nostrum, quum vulgo *Manibii*, quod non nisi futilium manuum & editionum. Sed ab ipso Augusto manavisse nostram docent inferiora in quibus saepius iteratur similiter. Ubique Augustus etiam sumus in scribendo ponebat pro sumus, teste Suetonio. Etiam Achilles Statius ad Suetonii claros Rhetoras sic notat **CONTIBERNALI EX VETERI MONUMENTO**, pag. 86.

Tab. 3. v. 26. *Primus & solus*. Hæc videntur vera, non ut vulgo, unus & solus. Sic enim solebant, ut inscriptiones antiquæ Sponiana & Arundeliana, μόνος οὐ περίτελλε τὸν αἰῶνα. Quanquam hinc jocu[m] Luciani tom. 1. pag. 1009. Ὄτι μόνος οὐ περίτελλε τὸν αἰῶνα, εἴη μόνος, καὶ μόνος εἰ μόνος, & μόνος εἰ μόνος, & περίτελλε. p. 98, 157.

Ibid. v. 30. *L. Canino & Q. Fabricio consulibus*. In Pighianis annalibus ponitur Suspicio hunc consulatum non fuisse annum Augusto, ejus autem loco quis suffectus fuerit obscurum nobis esse. At jam quidem id non potest studiosis esse obscurum, prædicante ipso Augusto, quem sibi in consulatu tertio decimo suscepit, quod etiam advertit Norisius ad Cenotaphia Pisana, pag. 183.

Ibid. v. 34. *Juvi ærarium*. Non solum breviter & eleganter, sed & propriè dictum in causâ pecuniariâ, & præsertim amatum Tacito, ut 2. Annal. 64. nobilitatem pecuniâ juvandam, p. 101.

Ibid. v. 37. *Aerarium militare quod ex consilio . . .* Adjecisset ferè Mæcenatis, quia in oratione ejus quam habet apud Dionem lib. 52. ferè jaciuntur ejus fundamenta consilii. . . . Sed porro cogitans Liviam inventricem hujus perpetuæ venæ ad bene merendum de militibus reor, ex iis quæ dixerat ad Augustum, in delatione perduellionis Cornelii Cinnæ, apud Dionem lib. 55. pag. 558. φυλακὴν ἀνεβῆντες στρατὸς καὶ μονάρχας πολῶν, κ. τ. λ. Hæc aliquandiu agitata quum essent in aulâ Augusti, sequenti anno miles turbas ciens de stipendii tenuitate ac annis militiae fecit ut provideretur de vettigalibus ærarii unde militi solveretur, in quod sequenti anno constitutum Augustus χείμαλα τιστωτεῖς τὸ ταρπεῖον οὐ καὶ Στρεγτωτικὸν ἐπωρόμενος; hinc suspicatus sum Liviam ab Augusto innui, cuius auctoritas & inventio esset saluberrima rei inscribenda. pag. 157.

Tab. 4. v. 1. *Curiam & continens ei Chalcidicum*. Pro eo quod habent utraque exemplaria, Curiam & continens & Chalcidicum, decrevi Augustum scripsisse continens ei Chalcidicum. Est autem ista constructio saepè apud Ciceronem, p. 103.

Ibid. v. 47. *Atticis & Persicis classibus pugnaverunt, &c.* Horum nominum notitiam invidit vetustas aut mala Turcæ alicuius manus, et si frustra. Sic enim processisse sermonem docent Ovidiana ista (in μαλαθεψίᾳ, ut hâc occasione loquitur Usterius)

*Quid modo, quum belli navalis imagine Cæsar
Persidas induxit Cecropidasque rates?*

Nimirum hic significare voluit Augustus, quarum gentium vexilla ab classibus fuerint prælata; ut in Juliâ Naumachiâ biremes ac triremes quadriremesque Syriae & Aegyptiæ classis, in Claudiâ Naumachiâ Siculæ & Rhodice conflxisse dicuntur apud Suetonium, pag. 115, 116.

Tab. 5. v. 28. *per Filium meum regi Ari...* Nobilia hæc & omnium historias superatura Augusti verba . . . ut satis patet, de Armeniæ regno agentia, sed admodum lacera, refacienda sunt ex fide Taciti lib. ii. annal. cap. 3. Antonius Artavasdes regem Armeniorum specie amicitiae inlellum, dein catenis oneratum, postremo interfecerat. Ejus filius Artaxias, memoria patris nobis insensus, Arsacidarum vi seque regnumque tutatus est. Occiso Artaxiâ, per dolum propinquorum, datus à Cæsare Armeniis Tigranes, deductusque in regnum à Tiberio Neroni. Nec Tigrani diuturnum imperium fuit, neque liberis ejus, quanquam sociatis more externo in matrimonium regnumque. Dein iussu Augusti impositus Artavasdes, & non sine clade nostra decessus. Tum C. Cæsar componendæ Armeniae deligitur. Is Ariobarzanen origine Medium præficit, &c. Dio lib. 53. pag. 526. Τῶν Ἀρμενῶν τὸ ἑρεμὸν οὐ τὸ Ἀρταβαζὺς καλογορησάντων, οὐ τὸ Τιγράλων, τὸ Ἀδελφὸν αὐτῷ καταπεμψαμένων, μετέσειλε τὸ Τιγράλων, δύος τὸ μὲν ἐκβαλόν τὸ βασιλικόν, τὸ δὲ αὐτὸν αποκαταστοῦν.

Ibid.

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Ibid. v. 42. *Ea autem signa in penetrali quod est in templo Martis Ultoris reposui.* Per hæc præclarè historia confirmatur, & quid signis illis fuerit actum docemur nunc ab ipso Augusto, quum antea id sciremus solummodo ex Dionis libro 5^o. Tā τε σημεῖα ἡ
τῶν αἰχμαλώτων πλινθίγυρος ἡ αἰχμῶν στᾶς ἐσθιεγρ, οὐ δέ τοι χώρη λαβόμενη μηνιν
απίστεψε. Καὶ αὐτὸς ἀνένθε (Augustus) οὐδὲ πλινθίγυρος τοι τὴν πλαγὴν νεκρήν θάσε. Καὶ δέ ιφελὺ μῆτρα, λίγων οὖτε τῷ πρότερον ποτὲ ἐν τῷ μάχαιρι ποτελόμενα πλεκόμενος.
Αμέλη δέ τοι ευσίας ἐπ' αὐτοῖς οὐ, νεών "Ἄρες Τίμωρες ἐν τῷ Καπελώλιῳ καὶ τοῖς Φεγετέρις ζηλωμα
ποσὶς οὐ τοῦ σημείου αναθετούντες ἐκέλθεσ. pag. 1221

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Rerum gestarum Divi Augusti. Res gestas intellige per totos pene annos 57, ab ini-
cepto comparari exercitu, & tentatis Italie veteranis, Cof. adhuc M. Antonio, an-
no ætatis suæ undevigesimo tum completo, usque ad conditum lustrum tertium, Coss.
duobus Sextis Pompeio & Appuleio, cujus meminit Tab. 2. v. 9. hoc est, ad annum
ejus vitæ & principatus ultimum. Tum verò ingravescente valetudine, mortem
præsentiens, Augustus raptim se videtur accinxisse ad gestorum suorum summam lite-
ratè posteris tradendam. Eiusque partes sigillatim, uti, gravi historiæ detimento,
postea fecit Suetonius, non per tempora, sed per species excutus est.

Exemplar subiectum. Post tres hosce versiculos, proœmii loco additos ab Ancyranis,
aut à prioribus quibusdam Augustæ Indicis descriptoribus, quæ sequuntur clariùs fa-
tentur elegantissimi Imperatoris manu: subinde enim occurrit, ut de singulis suo or-
dine notabimus, orthographia ejus singularis, & peculiaris quædam periodi perfectæ
nota, hunc ad modum [7] formata, cui similem, adjecto supernè punctulo, adhibuere
non ita pridem Saxonici scriptores. Quantum ad scriptioris genus, quo, teste Suetoniu-
sio, usus est Augustus, dum non divideret verba, nec ab extremâ parte versuum abundan-
tes literas in alterum transferret, sed ibidem statim subjeceret, circunduceretque, hoc qui-
dem in Ancyranō Monumento reperisse sibi visus est Boxhornius: quam verè viderint
oculatores. Nos certè in Apographo Tournefortiano per tabularum omnium reli-
quias frustra tale aliquid quæstivimus. Neque verosimile videtur Indicis hujus descri-
ptores, anxiâ nimis curâ & superstitionâ, rem adeò singularem in sua apographa trans-
fudisse. Cernitur hujusmodi circumductio in Tab. Eugubinâ III. Etrur. Reg. Tom. I.

Tab. 1. v. 1. *Annos undeviginti natus... exercitum comparavi.* Libet hoc accersere
Josephi Scaligeri in hæc verba commentarium de emendatione temporum lib. V. cap. de
initio Cæsaris Augusti. Dubitatur, inquit, à cœde Cæsar, an à consulatu primo Octavianî
ipsius imperium ordicandum sit. Atque super hæc re adhuc barent Chronologorum animi,
cum hoc scilicet incommode consilstantes, quid charactere annorum non utuntur. Sed cui me-
lius de eâ re quam Augusto ipsi de se loquenti credemus? . . . In Indice itaque rerum à se
gestarum sic de se scribit Augustus; Annos undeviginti natus exercitum comparavi, &c.
Ab illo tempore ergo quo exercitum in patris interfectores comparavit putandum est illius ini-
tium, quod sine dubio incidit in principiam consulatus Hirtii ac Panæ. Hæc magnus ille
Scaliger, in emendatis à se temporibus caput ærae Augustorum investigans. At vereor
an satis accuratè. Ducendum enim videtur non à principio consulatus Hirtii ac Pan-
æ, sed ab inito primo illo ipsius Augusti consulatu, mense ejusdem anni Sextili, ad
diem xiv. Kal. Septembri; quia (teste Tacito, an. 1. c. 9.) ex sententiâ & sermone
ipsius Populi Romani, idem Augusto dies accepti quondam imperii princeps, & vita ju-
premissus fuit. Turbat verò idem Scaliger in sequentibus, malè statuens Augustum in-
vivisse primum ejus consulatum ineunte ætatis anno undevicesimo, quum secundum Di-
onem & Suetonium atque hunc ipsum indicem Augusti, putatis recte rebus & tem-
poribus, non nisi vicesimo jam sere complecto iniverit. Nec faciet pro Scaligero Livii
Epitomator lib. 119, ubi neglectis mensibus undecim incautiùs sic loquutus est; Cæ-
sar quum annos novendecim haberet, consul creatus est. vide infra ad v. 6.

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Ibid.

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Ibid. Annos undeviginti natus exercitum privato consilio & privatâ impensâ comparavi. Annos præcisè xix natus fuit ad diem viii. Kal. Octob. anni ejusdem quo interfectus fuit pater ejus Julius, tum cum Antonio Consul; statimque ab eo natali die non si ne maximâ ejus impensâ audacter exercitum comparabat, Teste ad Atticum Cicero- ne, l. 16. Epist. 8. Kal. vesperi literæ mibi ab Octaviano magna molitur: veteranos quicquid Casilini & Calatiæ fuit, perduxit ad suam sententiam: nec mirum: quingenos denarios dat. Iterum Epist. sequente, Varroni displaceat consilium pueri: mibi non. firmas copias habet: . . . centuriat Capua, dinumerat.

Tab. i. v. 3. *Senatus decretis honorificis ornatus.* Jam mensem unum atque alterum privato sollempnitate consilio agitaverat C. Cæsar Octavianus, ob id ipsum, se judice, perduellionis reus, nisi quod a. d. xiiii. Kalend. Januar. accessit Senatus auctoritas, decre-tumque, referente sic Cicerone, honorificum; Philip. 3. *Cum operâ, virtute, consilio C. Cæsarit, summoque consensu militum veteranorum, qui ejus auctoritatem fecuti reipublice præsidio sunt, & fuerunt, & à gravissimis periculis populus Romanus defensus sit, & hoc tempore defendatur, . . . Senatui magna eura effe, ac fore, ut pro tantis eorum in rem-publicam meritis honores eis habeantur, gratiaque referantur.*

Ibid. v. 3, 4, 5. In eum ordinem sum adleetus à Consulibus, inter consulares ut sententiam diccrem: locumque & imperium mihi dedit respublica, uti Prætori, simul cum consulibus Itatio & Pansá. Hoc modo locum admodum luxatum ex reliquis tabularum literis & apicibus, & ex comparibus rei historiis restituimus. Velleius lib. 2. cap. 61. C. Cæsarem Senatus honoratum equestri statu, quæ hodieque in rostris posita astatim ejus scripturæ indicat, præprætorem unâ cum consulibus designatis Hirtio ac Pansâ bellum cum Antonio gerere jussit. Sed omitti in his debuit vox ista designatis. Livii Epitome lib. cxviii. C. Cæsari præprætoris imperium ab Senatu datum est cum consularibus ornamenti, adiectumque ut Senator esset. Ciceronis ad Coss. & Senatum Kalendis Januariis relatio, Philip. 5. Senatu placere C. Cæsarem Caii filium, pontificem, præprætorem, senatorem esse, sententiamque loco prætorio dicere. Loco scilicet prætorio, ut tum primùm relatum fuit. Sed quoniam turbato Senatu nihil eo die conficeretur, die insequenti, ut testis est Appianus (de bello civ. lib. 3.) decretum est id quod erat honorificentissimum, ex Gallo, i. e. inter consulares. Minus enim tum Senatum decrevisse quam quod Cicero pridie retulera, hoc est, inter quaestorios, secundum Dionem, & assensum Dionis Cæsaubonum, id sanè verosimile vix videtur. Retulit quidem Cicero de petendo inter quaestorios consulatu, quæ ansa forsitan erroris Dionis fuit.

Ibid. v. 6. *Huic autem eodem anno me suffetum consulem cum edidisset & triumvirum Reipublica constituenda.* Post pugnam Mutinensem, cum cecidit sato consul uterque pari, (sic enim annum sibi natalem descriperunt Poetæ Ovidius & Tibullus) Panæ, uti docet lapis Colotianus, suffectus est Cæsar Octavianus. Consul quidem à senatu populoque, sed coactis, editus est, annum tunc agens vigesimum, non autem x. Kal. Octobris, pridie quam viginti annos impleret, ut scribit Velleius, sed ut alii rectius, xiv. Kal. Septemb. mense tum quidem Sextili, qui postea ob id ipsum *Augustus* nominatus est. Eodem anno, cum Collegis Lepido & Antonio, Triumvirum se renuntiavit, ex ante v. Kal. Decembris, in quinquennium, & alterum qui excurreret mensem, juxta fragmentum Magistratum Romanorum, Colotianum dictum, apud Grut. ccxcviii. 1.

* EMILIVS . M. Antonius . IMP. CAESAR . III. VIRI . R P

* EX. A. D. V. K. DEC. AD. PR. K. JAN. SEXTI.

quam extraordinariam potestatem cum in alterum quoque quinquennium protogässent, Cæsar in monumentis publicis, tanquam ordinarius esset magistratus, *Triumvir iterum inscriptus est, ut in Tergestano lapide.*

IMP. CAESAR. COS. DES. TERT. III. VIR. R. P. C.
ITERVM. MVRVM. TVRRESOVE . E.

Cuius

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Cujus ideo mentionem fecimus, quia supra pag. 150, 161, parem Antonii titulum in imperfecto ΤΗΔ... conjecturavimus; quasi esset Triumvir τῆς δοτρεψίας, quod Graecanice secundū, Latinū iterum dixeris.

Ibid. v. 8. Qui parentem conjurati occidissent in exilium expuli judiciis legitimis. Livii l. 120. Epitome, Cæsar consul legem tulit de quaestione habendā in eos quorum operā pater occisus est; postulatique eā lege M. Brutus, C. Cassius, D. Brutus absentes damnati sunt. Dio, quem ad Latinum hocce monumentum non nisi Latinè appellabimus, Ne vi, inquit, sed jure agere videretur, legem tulit (Pediam ab assumpto ei collega Q. Pedio vocatam) de quaestib[us] in eos habendis. lib. 46. Damnatis autem aquā & igni interdecebatur.

Ibid. v. 9. ultus postea bellum inferentis. Archaicē pro inferentes, ut inferiū ag nōis consules, & alia passim, quamvis non constanter per totum indicem. Archaismorū enim non sult hoc ævo perpetuus & uniformis usus. Bellum inferentis Reipublicæ. Brutum Cassiumque intelligit, & reliquos conjurationis socios, quos ulturus acie Philippiā templum vovit Marti Ultori, de quo postea. ad Tab. 4. v. 21.

Ibid. v. 12. Victor omnibus supplicibus cibis pepercit. Supplicibus utique, sic enim Cæsarem inducit Dio ad Senatum de clementiā suā perorantem, lib. 53. Bella civilia maxima ac multiplicia eademque continua & consecutus proferet & victoriam summa belli iniuste temperavimus; omnibus se opponentibus tanquam hostibus superatis; omnibus cedentibus tanquam amicis conservatis. Velleius quoque post debellatum Antonium lib. 2. cap. 86. Victoria fuit clementissima; nec quisquam interemptus nisi paucissimi, & ii qui deperi quidem pro se non sustinuerunt.

Ibid. v. 17. Longas naves cepi sescentas. Bello Actiaco captas fuisse trecentas ipse Augustus in Commentariis, teste Plutarcho, scripsit: hic igitur captas intelligit sescentas & Siculo & Actiaco, & omnibus quæ unquam commiserat præliis navalibus. Sescentas Archaicē, ut & Virgilio Æn. 10. inquit Dausqueius.

Ibid. v. 19. Bis ovans triumphavi, tris egi curulis triumphos. Suetonius Aug. c. 22. Bis ovans ingressus est urbem, post Philippense, & rursus post Siculum bellum. Curules triumphos tres egit, Dalmaticum, Attiacum, Alexandrinum.

Ibid. Appellatus sum viciens & semel Imperator. Tacitus ann. 1. c. 9. Augusto nomen Imperatoris semel atque vices partum. Huic Dio discordasse creditur, & laudante Em. Norisio, ad Cen. Pisana, p. 338. rectius quām Tacitus scripsisse, Augustum vices nomen Imperatoris tulisse. Sed Graeca Dionis aperte in mendo cubant: ὥστε καὶ εἰ ἔνοον ἐνομα ἀποκεχρόται ζεῦ. Ubi pro otiosis istis καὶ εἰ ἔνοον Historicus sine dubio scriperat ὥστε εἰ καὶ εἴνοον — i. e. ut nomen IMP. XXI. retulerit. Sed vide locum lib. 53. p. 494. Cur Inscriptio Ariminensis, paulo ante Augusti obitum publicata, tantummodo IMP. XX. exhibeat, non est cur sollicitè disquiratur. Eam inserviū adducimus ad. Tab. 2. v. 20.

Ibid. v. 21. Delmatis & Illuriis quoque bello nunc perdomitis. Sic suppleo materiam primi illius acti à Cæsare triumphi. Pro Illuriis verò reponi poterit ex arbitrio legendum, Iapudibus: ita enim in Fastis Pighianis inscriptus est hic triumphus. De hoc bello legantur Illyrica Appiani. Interim compendio hæc notentur ad rem nostram plenè satis facientia, pag. ultimā. Dalmatæ ... venienti Cæsari se suppliciter dedunt. Hos Cæsar signa Romanorum Gabinio adempta ferre monuit: eaque in portico quæ Octavia dicitur appendit. Et paulo infra: Cæsar Illyriorum tellurem omnem quæ à Romanis defecrat, aut prius sub imperio neutiquam affueverat, ad obsequium rededit. Eam ob rem triumphus Illyrius à Senatu Cæsari decretus est, quem post devictum tandem egit Antonium.

Ibid. v. 25. Quo ex Senatus consulto supplicatum est in Deorum ... Videtur hic dicturus in quot Deorum templis supplicatum erat. Ergo pene in eo eram ut supplerem in Deorum Dearumque templis circiter trecentis, auctore Virgilio Æn. 8. v. 714.

At Cæsar, triplici inventus Romana triumpho
Menia, Dis Italis votum imortale sacrabat:
Maxima tercentum totam delubra per urbem
Lætitia, ludisque via, plausuque fremebant.

Tab:

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Tab. 2. verficum primum &c. sic distingue; *Patritiorum numerum auxi Consul quin tum iussu populi & Senatus. Senatum ter legi. Et in consilatu sexto censum populi, collega M. Agrippa, egi. Ad hæc ultima, & que de censu ter acto sequuntur, audiendus est Suetonius in Aug. c. 27. Recepit & morum legumque regimen perpetuum: quo jure quanquam sine censure honore censum tamen populi ter egit: primum ac tertium cum Collega, medium solus.*

Tab. 2. v. 4. *Censa sunt capita quadragiens centum millia, & sexaginta tria millia. Non vitavit censuram Cesauboni pecularis loquendi modus, quo vox millia post numerum tum majorem, tum minorem ponitur. Aitigitur, postrema vox vacat, non enim jolet addi à Latinè loquentibus: tamen ferri potest. At mihi nec unicum videtur, neque singulare adeò exemplum, in ineundâ hominum recensione. Legitur inscriptio Gruteriana p. ccc. Roniae in portico templi S. Gregorii extans.*

TEMPORIBVS . CLAVDII . TIBERII
FACTA . HOMINVM . ARMIGERORVM
OSTENSIOE . IN . ROMA . SEPTIES
DECIES . CENTENA . MILLIA

LXXXVII. *M.X.

* M. i. e. Millia.

Clarissimum verò & antiquissimum est in recensione populi Moysicā, *Num. ii. 9.* פָּנָא כְּלָמָד אֶת־יְהֹוָה תַּלְמִידֵי יְהֹוָה i. e. verbis ad verba redditis (quod evitârunt quidem interpres & Græcus & Latinus) centum millia & octoginta millia & sex millia. paria habentur eodem capite v. 24, & 32. & quod notabile est, in aliâ quoque hominum dinumeratione à Davide postea institutâ, *1 Chron. xxi. 25.* Omnis fuit Israel mille millia, & centum millia, viri eduentes gladium. Iterumque *2 Chron. ii. 17.* à Salomone viri peregrini inventi sunt, centum & quinquaginta millia, & tria millia & sexcenta.

Tab. 2. v. 5. Alterum consulari cum imperio lustrum censumque solus feci, *Censorino & Afnio Cos.* Frusta fuere non pauci, quanquam graves & erudití viri, quorum cordi defixum olim insidiebat, hunc medium Augusti censum eundem illum fuisse cuius meminit D. Lucas Evangelii capite secundo. Hic enim census fuit Romanorum capitum ordinarius, sacris lustralibus conjunctus, ideoque ad rem Religionis spectans, à rege Servio institutus, dehinc sibi à summo magistratu, & ab Augusto nunc iterum peractus. At amplior ille orbis Romani census repertum ipsius Augusti fuit; id nempe curantis, ut iniret imperii rationarium, quod in tertio illo volumine complexus est, utque certius tributa & vestigalia, & universos tum Italiz, tum provinciarum redditus pernosceret.

Ibid. *Censorino & Afnio Cos.* Res per se levis observetur, COS. pro Consulibus & per totum hunc indicem & in aliis hujus ævi monumentis, per simplicem scribi. Majus certè, quod mensis qui sextilis fuerat, ex S. C. his ipsis, Marcio Censorino, C. Afnio Gallo, Coss. in Augusti honorem dictus est *Augustus*, anno Augustano xx. ut habeat Censorinus de die natali cap. 21. Quod nomen, inquit, nunc ad hanc pertinet memoriam. *Senatusconsultum* verò Macrobius Sat. lib. i. c. 12. his verbis servavit: *CVM . IMPERATOR . CAESAR . AVGSTVS . MENSE . SEXTILI . ET PRIMVM . CONSVLATVM . INIERIT . ET . TRIVMPHOS . TRES . IN . VRBEM . INTVLERIT . F.T . EX . IANICVLO . LEGIONES . DEDVCTAE . SECVTAEQVE . SINT . SVA . AVSPCIA . AC . FIDEM . SED . ET . AEGYPTVS HOC . MENSE . IN . POTESTATEM . POPVLI . ROMANI . REDACTA . SIT FINISQVE . HOC . MENSE . BELLIS . CIVILIBVS . IMPOSITVS . FVERIT ATQVE . OB . HAS . CAVSAS . HIC . MENSIS . HVIC . IMPERIO . FELICISSIMVS . SIT . AC . FVERIT . PLACERE . SENATVI . VT . HIC . MENSIS . AVGSTVS APP'ELLETVR.*

Ibid. v. 9, 10. *Quadragies centum millia & triginta septem millia. Quanquam satis sentiam, quam sit infra horum lapidum dignitatem, ut cum corruptis scolorum collecta-*ngis

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neis unā in conspectum veniant; hic tamen non illibenter annotaverim, Suidæ istud, in voce 'Augvſt', non male respondere huic Augusti numero, si modo recta loci lectio instauretur. Εὐεῖτον . . . τελεγνῶνται δύκα μυριάδες, καὶ χίλιοι δικαστὴρες, uti citant Vossius & Gronovius. At in antiquis editionibus occurunt pro τελεγνῶνται δύκα tantummodo numerales τι. Harum posteriorem credibile est ab origine fuisse r, quæ, amissâ superne virgulâ, facile abiit in i. Porro χίλιοι δύκα suspicor mendosum esse pro χιλιάδες: quo admisso errore, necessariò in fine efferendum erat ἀρδες, non ἀρδεῶν. Legō igitur Τυγικον . . . τριαντα μυριάδες, καὶ χιλιάδες τοῦτα ἀνθεῖν. hoc est, Latinè ad verbum, inventæ sunt quadringentæ tres myriades, & chiliades septuaginta virorum: Latinus Augusti verbis, capitum quadragies centum millia & triginta septem millia.

Ibid. v. 12, 13. Legibus novis latis exempla majorum exolescentia revocavi; & fugientia jam ex nostro conspectu avitarum rerum exempla imitanda proposui. Trium illorum censuum mentioni hæc non incommodè subjicit, ad idem morum legumque regimen omnino pertinentia. Hinc non unus nec inanis ab Horatio plausus, maximè Od. 13. lib. 4.— ordinem — rectum, & vaganti frâna licentiae — injectit, amotisque culpas — & veteres revocavit artes — per quas Latinum nomen, & Italæ — crevere vires. — nec obscurius in suavissimo illo exordio Epistolæ ad Augustum, jam morum legumque rectorem, scriptæ.

Cum tot sustineas, & tanta negotia solus;
Res Italas armis tuteris; moribus ornas;
Legibus emendas, &c.

in quibus mordicūs retinenda est vox *moribus*: quamquam ei inusta sit nota falsi, & in manib[us] tantum non repositum in præclarâ editione Bentleianâ. Sed ut urbes & oppida ornari manib[us] rectissimè quis dixerit, quale, quæso, est res Italas ornari manib[us] quâm putidum! quâm non Horatianum!

Ibid. Exempla majorum exolescentia revocavi. Adi Sueton. Aug. cap. 31, 32.

Ibid. Avitarum rerum exempla imitanda proposui. Et hoc ipsum quoque tradidit Suetonius cap. 89. In evolvendis utriusque linguae autoribus, nihil aequè sectabatur quâm præcepta & exempla publicè vel privatim salubria: eaque ad verbum excerpta aut ad domesticos, aut ad exercituum provinciarumque rectores, aut ad urbis magistratus plerumque mittebat; prout quique monitione indigerent.

Ibid. v. 16, 18. Quattuor amplissima collegia. Latet in his reliquiis memoria instituti à Cæsare A.D. III quinquennalis certaminis, per quattuor amplissima collegia, pontificum, augurum, septemvirorum, & quindecimvirorum, perpetuo ordine procurandi, ipso Cæsare VI. M. Agrippa II. Coss. Dio lib. 53, in initio. In voce QUATTVOR, occurrat r litera geminata, sed Archaismo certè Grammatico, non, ut vulgo creditur, poetico. Est enim ab Æolico πέτρος, ut à πέτραι, quinque.

Ibid. v. 18, 19, 20. Apud omnia pulvinaria pro valetudine, saliare carmen, & sacrosantribunitia potestas mibi. Spectant hæc ad annum U. C. V. 731, quo Cæsar Augustus (Cos. XI. cum M. Ter. Varrone, & postea, eo mortuo, cum Calpurnio Pisone) gravii adeò morbo decubuit, ut vix ulla spes salutis superesset. Ergo pro ejus valetudine supplicatum est ad omnia pulvinaria. Revalescenti verò, & consulatum paulò ante Kal. Julias abdicanti, decretum est à Senatu perpetuum proconsulare imperium, perpetua item tribunitia potestas: quâ constanter usi tum ipse, tum alii post eum imperatores, nec tamen admisso tribuni plebis titulo, sacrosancti proinde habebantur: & juxta eandem anaorum quos imperaverint procedebat numerus, quasi cum tribunis plebis quotannis eam susciperent. Dio lib. 53. At Augusto processit hæc potestas ab ante diem v. Kal. Julias, uti palam fecit Velleius, l. 2. cap. 103. exinde per sequentes triginta sex annos recurrente codem die renovata. Eorumque ultimus in ponte illo Arimensi adhuc signatus extat.

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Sed partem hujus anni per exiguum nempe à die v. Kal. Julias ad xiv. Kal. Septembres in sequentes Augustus vixit. Adeo ut haec temporis signatio non immerito cum aliâ p̄irili monumenti Adulitani conferenda fuerit; ubi post regnatos annos totos viginti sex, proximè ante obitum suum sic inscripsit Ptolemaeus Euergetes, anno regni mei vi-cesimo septimo. vide supra, pag. 87.

Ibid. v. 22. *Populo sacerdotium deferente mibi quod pater meus procuravit, suscepit id sacerdotium aliquod post annos, eo mortuo, qui post patrem meum illud procuraverat.* Hæc sic restituta firmantur passim ab Historicis. Appianus de Bellis Civ. l. v. Quum populus pontificatum maximum à Lepido ad eum transferre vellet, nemini vivo more majorum adimi solitum, recusavit. Dio lib. 49. Pontificatum Lepidi sibi oblatum non recepit: neque enim licebat eo vivum aliquem privari. Suetonius in Aug. 31. Pontificatum maximum quem nunquam vivo Lepido auferre sustinuerat, mortuo denum suscepit. Duravitque postea, vel in Romanâ illâ Ethnicâ religione, non de pontificatu solo, sed & de aliis etiam sacerdotiis, concepta eadem persuasio. Ita enim & Plinius Nepos Ep. 8, lib. 4. *Sacerdotium ipsum (auguratum) cùm priscum & religiosum, tum hoc quoque sacrum & insigne est, quod non admittitur viventi.*

Ibid. Aliquod post annos: non aliquot, ut postea Tab. 4. v. 30. adque non atque: qualia non raro observata in lapidibus, & MSS. libris antiquioribus. Annos vero hic intelligit Augustus duo & viginti circiter, post exutum omni potestate & Circeios relegatum Lepidum, U. C. V. 718, ad eundem mortuum demum Pontificem maximum U. C. 741.

Ibid. v. 25, 26, 27, 28, 29. *Valetudine quanta Romæ nunquam — P. Sulpicio C. Valgio consulibus — adis Honoris & Virtutis ad memoriam — Senatus consacravit, in quā Pontifices — anniversarium sacrificium facerent.* Subsunt his fragmentis non pauca ad extrema M. Agrippæ pertinentia: nempe adversa ejus valetudo, pro quā vota quanta Romæ nunquam antea nuncupata: secuta mors ejus anno U. C. Var. 742, quā parte anni Messalæ suffectus consul C. Valgius nec-dum honorem eum abdicaverat: ara ad defuncti memoriam intra aedem Honoris & Virtutis à Senatu consecrata, in quā Pontifices anniversarium sacrificium facerent. Tot & tanta debebantur *Viro* (ut inquit Dio lib. 54.) aetatis sue optimo, qui neque Augusto unquam molestus fuit, neque invide aliorum obnoxius: sed & Augusto ita imperium stabilivit, ut eam formam reipublicæ ipse maximè appetuisse videri posset, & populum beneficiis ita sibi devinxit, ut omnium maximè popularis judicaretur. Monent hæc ut tradam etiam eruditis habitum ei à Mytilenæis Lesbi incolis honorem, quanquam immodicum quidem illum, & profanum, pro more provincialium ad obsequii & adulacionis infima demissorum. Lesbium enim, cùm Syriae proconsulatum gereret, aliquot annis secesserat Agrippa; ibique ejus statua cum magnifica, ultra quam sors humana recipit, inscriptione dedicata est. Statuam illam alio jamdudum avectam optimè supplebit ejus caput navali, quam bello Siculo meruit, coronâ redimitum. Hoc igitur inferiùs apponemus unâ cum nummis ad duos ex eo genitos Caium & Lucium pertinentibus. Interea inscriptionem ex ditissimis D. Sheardi collectaneis, à Lesbi insulae littore ad eum delatam, accipe.

ΟΔΑΜΟΣ
ΘΕΟΝ ΣΩΤΗΡΑΣ ΠΟΛΙΟΣ ΜΑΡΚΟΝ
ΑΓΡΙΠΠΑΝΤΟΝ ΕΤΕΡΓΕΤΑΝ ΚΑΙΚΤΙΣΤΑΝ

'Ο Δᾶμος Θεὸν Σωτῆρα τὰς πόλιος Μάρκον Ἀγρίππαν τὸν Ἐνεργίταν καὶ Κτισάν.	Populus Deum, Servatorem urbis, Marcum Agrippam, Benefactorem, Conditoremque.
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Vides, Lector, id quod, auctore ipso Suetonio, fidem non invenit apud eruditos mul-tos viros, non Imperatori solūm, sed & ejus proconsuli delatam hanc insanam DEI appellationem. Quumque obvium se ingereret Q. Ciceronis Asiae proprætoris exem-

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plum, responsum est ex auctoritate optimi Marci fratris, invidiam tantam amolientis, non ipsum, sed virtutes ejus consecratas. Frustra: nam DEVS M. Agrippa, teste hoc longevo lapide, pleno indubioque titulo sacratus est. Et nescio equidem annon haec Dei ipsius providentia permissa fuerint; ut, cum verum illum Θεόν πατέρα, primogenitum suum in orbem terrae introducturus esset, ansam omnem infidelitatis docto huic ac polito hominum generi præripere: utpote qui nullâ fulti auctoritate, nullo cœlesti monitu sic persuasi, toties tamen eundem Deum atque hominem appellassent, scripissent, coluisse. Quid enim? Illos si dixerunt Deos;—Hunc, quem Pater sanctificavit & misit in mundum, Hunc, inquam, dicent illi blasphemare, quia dixerit, Filius Dei sum? Joan. x. 36.

Ibid. C. Valgio. Hic ille est C. Valgios, doctrinæ & amicitiae nomine celebratus ab Horatio; quiq[ue] etiam secundum Plinium medicinæ studiosus fuit, inchoato de usu herbarum libro. Hunc (inquit ille lib. 25. cap. 2.) post Citonem unus illustrium tentavit C. Valgios eruditione spectatus, imperfetto volumine ad Divum Augustum, inchoata etiam præstatione religiosa, ut omnibus malis humanis illius potissimum principis semper medetur majestas. Medicinæ quidem artem, unam ex Græcis Romam hoc tempore allati, ut verbis ejusdem Plinii obiter id notetur, paucissimi Quiritium attigere. At ve- lim hoc attendant illi, quibus nullos eam Quiritium attigisse, pro certo ac indubitato constat.

Ibid. v. 35, 36, 37, 38.—res in Hispaniâ Galliâque provinciis prosperè — aram — pro reditu meo consacrari, ut ad eam — magistratus et sacerdotes sacrum perenne facerent. Bis post res in Hispaniâ Galliâque provinciis prosperè gestas Romam rediit Augustus. Bis Romæ pro ejus reditu & salute, tum ara, tum alia multa honorifica sunt decreta; anni nempe 729 & 740. Horum priore, quartum ab urbe conditâ, ait iterum Augusto Principe, clausum est Jani templum: posteriore vero inscripta est ejus mentio Emeritæ Augustæ, tum recens, ab Augusto, post victorias tantas & orbem pacatum condite. Fœdata admodum prodit in novo Gruteriano corpore, cxlii. 4, at purior inter additamenta Suetoniana, p. m. 762.

IMP. CAES. DIVI. F. AVGVSTVS . PONT . MAX.
COS . XI . TRIBVNIC . POTEST . X . IMP . VIII
ORBE . MARI . AC . TERRA . PACATO . TEMPLO
IANI . CLVSO . ET . REPP . R . OPTIMIS . LEGIBVS
ET . SANCTISSIMIS . INSTITVTIS . REFORMATA
VIAM . SVPERIOR . COS . TEMPORE . INCHOATAM
ET . MVLTIS . LOCIS . INTERMISSAM . PRO
DIGNITATE . IMPERI . P . R . LATIOREM
LONGIOREMQVE . GADEIS . VSQ . PROMOVIT .

Ibid. v. 42, 43. Cum à conditâ urbe Janum Quirinum bis omnino clausum fuisse producatur Memoriæ. TER . ME . PRINCIPE . LAVDENDVM . ESSE decrevit Senatus. Sic lege, & sic corrigere, quæ suprà in ipsâ Tabulâ erroneè descripta dedi. Ea olim ab hoc Indice accepta cum fructu rependit nunc Suetonius, cap. 22. Janum Quirinum semel atque iterum à conditâ urbe, memoriam ante suam, clausum, in multo breviore temporis spatio, terra marique pace parta, terclusit. Quippe præter Janum semel ab Augusto clausum post victoriam Ægyptiacam, A. U. C. 725, iterumque ab eodem post Cantabriam, anno 729, idem ab eo, ante hæc scripta, tertio clausus creditur. Annū nominat Orosius ab U. C. 752. lib. 6. cap. ult. sed propriis ipsius verbis seipsum hoc modo refutans, Augustus ab Oriente in Occidentem, à Septentrione in Meridiem, ac per totum Oceanum circum, cunctis gentibus una pace compositis, Jani portas tertio ipse tunc clausit, quas ex eo per duodecim ferè annos quietissimo semper obseratas otio ipsa etiam rubigo signavit. Jam si retrò numerantur duodecim quos innuebat anni, à Jano ob Varianam cladem referato, anno 762, devenies ad annum U. C. 750, qui quidem præteriit pacificus; quique

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quiique etiam sexto post die exceptit (id quod unice voluit Orosius) veriorem illum D. nostri Jesu Christi natalitium diem, U. C. 749. vide Noristi Cen. Pij. diff. 2. c. 10. & 5.

Hæc quidem haec tenus notavi, secundum eorum rationes, qui, Suetonium & Orosium secuti, Janum ab Augusto *ter clausum* suisse statuunt. Sed ut verè dicam id quod sentio, laborat mecum Orosii fides. Aliud etiam propemodum loquuntur vestigiis Suetonii codices. Nam, teste Em. Norisio, in Mediceo uno scribitur *pariter clausum, in altero iter. clausum*. Ipse etiam Augustus palam mihi visus est cavisse ne Janum *ter clausum* scriberet. Id solum strictius testatur, quod Senatus eum *ter, se principe, claudendum esse* decreverit. Ejusque prosectorum veritas, etiamsi Janum bis solummodo re ipsa clauserit Augustus, ex Dione facilè demonstratur. Nam præter occlusiones duas sub annis 725 & 729 priùs ab eo memoratas, demum anno 744, Julio & Fabio Coss. ad calcem lib. 54, Ἐφησιδη μῆ, inquit, τὸν Ιανὸν τὸν Γέμινον χωρίσκωσα . . . διά μετανοή, ἐπλείσθη, i. e. *Decretum est Janum Geminum claudendum esse, nec tamen tum clausus fuit.* Quippe Daci & Dalmatae inexpectatò pacem interruperant.

Ibid. v. 44. *Filios meos quos sinistra fors mibi eripuit: iisdem serè verbis, ac in testamento sui initio, apud Suetonium in Tib. c. 23. Quoniam sinistra Fortuna Caium & Lucium filios mibi eripuit, &c.*

Ibid. *Caium & Lucium Cæsares, &c.* quæ sequuntur in sex prioribus tertiae Tabulae versiculis. Hos integros nunc primùm damus, nullam posthac molestiam doctis viris facessuros. Nam quantum ad id quod injecit scrupulum Casaubono, dici ab Augusto ANNVM QVINTVM ET DECIMVM AGENTIS, cùm contradicere videatur imperfecta de Caio inscriptio, QVEM. COS. POPVLVS. CREATVIT. ANN. NAT. XIII. Grut. ccxxviii. 5. sciendum est illos annum decimum quintum agere, qui eum ingressi sunt, post annos quatuordecim vel minimum quantum totos jam elapsos. Ille Iustissimum verò indicis Augustei locum, dum legis, sic distingue; longè aliter quām doctissimo Norisio visum, in mox laudando opere pag. 112. *Caium & Lucium Cæsares, honoris mei causā, Senatus Populusque Romanus, annum quintum & decimum agentis, consules designavit: ut eum magistratum iacentem post quinqueannium.* Et, ex eo die quo deducuntur sunt in forum, ut interessent consiliis publicis decrevit Senatus. Equites autem Romani universi principem juventutis utrumque eorum, parmis & basiis argenteis donatum, appellaverunt. Hi sunt honores, quos vivis C. & L. Cæsaribus Romani habuere, omnes ad vivum, in obvio hodieque numismate, posteriorum quoque oculis subjectos.



Iisdem immaturè mortuis alios etiam non modicos honores coloni Pisani decrevere. It hos & illos uberrimè illustravit F. Henricus Noris, purpurâ postea Romanâ, ut doctrinâ semper tum Græcâ tum Romanâ eminentissimus: illos quidem in parte dissertationis secundæ non exigua, hos verò per totum illustre opus, quo non plenius in hoc genere, neque doctius, neque accuratius orbis novit eruditus. Neque enim me morantur nævi ex malè intellectis tum tabalis Ancyranis orti. Dum igitur Orosius in hanc nostræ inscriptionis partem commentarium longè optimum suppeditat; eidem etiam accepta referemus Pisana ipsa monumenta; quæ non hic tantum locus de C. & L. Cæsaribus, sed &c, connexus cum eis, honos & historia Augusti Cæsaris effla-

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efflagitant. Id tantum unicè demitor, cur cenotaphia vocari placuit viro antiquitatis omnis peritissimo. Caii quidem cenotaphium Emesę olim in Syriā itinerando reperit Bellonius; ut testatus est Observationum suarum libro 2, cap. 97. Verū non sunt hæc cenotaphia, sed decreta tantummodo Pisaniorum, ad honorem C. & L. Cæsarum, coloniæ, dum viverent, patronorum, pertinentia. Ea Pisani censuere in urbis sacre curiā, Augusteo dictā, qualis & nostris etiam Ancyranis *Serbaedium* Græcè nominat⁹ est. Inscripte verò iis, qui non ita pridem sunt reperti, cippis duobus grandioribus, olim secundūm aram C. & L. Cæsarum defixis. Apud eam aram publicè eorum Manibus quotannis parentandum erat, juxta Decreta hic subjecta. E quibus præcedere oportebit, quia id tempore præcessit,

Decretum Pisaniorum ad L. Caesaris honorem pertinens.

XIII. K. OCTOBR. PIIS. IN. FORO. IN. AVGSTE. SCRIB. ADFVER
Q. PETILIUS. Q. F. P. RASINIVS. L. F. RASSVS. M. PUPPIVS. M. F.
Q. SERTORIVS. Q. F. PICA. CN. OCTAVIVS. CN. F. RUFVS. A. ALBIVS
A. F. GYTTA.

QVOD . C. CANIVS . C. F. SATVRNIVS . II VIR . V. F. DE . AVGENDIS . HONORIBVS
L. CAESARIS . AVGSTI . CAESARIS . PATRIS . PATRIÆ . PONTIFICIS . MAXSVMI
TRIBVNICIAE . POTESTATIS . XXV. FILI . AVGVRIS . CONSVLIS . DESIGNATI . PRINCIPIS
IVVENTVTIS . PATRONI . COLONIAE . NOSTRAE . Q. D. E. R. F. P. D. E. R. I. C.
CVM . SENATVS . POPVLVI . ROMANI . INTER . CETEROS . PLVRIMOS . AC . MAXSIMOS
HONORES . L. CAESARI . AVGSTI . CAESARIS . PATRIS . PATRIÆ . PONTIFICIS . MAXIMI . TRIBVN
ICIAE . POTESTATIS . XXV. FILIO . AVGVRI . CONSVL . DESIGNATO . PER
CONSENSVM . OMNIVM . ORDINV M. decretos

L. Caesari paren-

TETVR . DATA . CVRA . C. CANIO . SATVRNINO . IJVIRO . ET . DECEM . PRIMIS . ELIGENDI
ASPICIENDIQVE . VTER . EORVM . MAGIS . IDONEVS . VIDEATVR . ENIENDVS
PVBELICA . PEV'NIA¹ . A. PRIVATIS . EIVS . loci quem MAGIS . PROBAVERINT . VTIQVE
APVD . EAM . ARAM . QVOD . ANNIS . A. D. xii K. Sept. PVBLICE . MA'NIBVS . EIVS . PER . MAGIS
TRATV'S . EOSQVE . QVI . IBI . IVRI . DICENDO . PRAEVNT . TOGI . PULLIS . AMICOTOS
QVIBVS EORVM . IVS . FASQVE . ERIT . EO . DIE ejus . VESTIS . HABENDAE . INFERIAE . MIT
TANTVR . BO'SQVE . ET . OVIS . A'TRI . INFVLIS . CAERVIIS . INFVLATI . diis . MANIBVS . EIVS
MACTENTVR . EA EQVE . HOSTIAE . EO . LOCO . ADOLEANTVR . SVPER . QVE . LAS
SINGVLAE . VRNAE . LACTIS . MELLIS . OLEI . FUNDANTVR . AC . TVM . DEMVM . FACTAM
ceteris potestatem . SI . QVI . PRIVATIM . VELINT . MANIBVS . EIVS . INFERIAS . MITTERE
nive quis AMPLIVS . VNO . CEREO . VNAVE . FACE . CORONAVE . MITTAT . DVM . II . QVI . IM
moldavent . CINCTI . CABINO . RITV . STRVEM . LIGNORVM . SVCCENDANT . ADQVE
exinde . HABEANT

ut LOCVS . ANTE . EAM . ARAM . QVO . EA . STRVES . CONGERANTVR . COMPOANATVR . PATEAT
QVOQVE . VERSVS . PEDES . XL . STIPITIBVSQVE . ROBVSTIS . SAEPiatVR . LIGNORVMQVE
ACERVOS . EIVS . REI . GRATIA . QVOD . ANNIS . IBI . CONSTITUTATVR . CIPPOQVE . GRANDI
SECVNDVM . ARAM . DEFIXSO . HOC . DECRETVM . CVM . SVPERIORIBVS . DECRETIS . AD . EIVS
HONORES . PERTINENTIBVS . INCIDATVR . INSCVLPATVRVE . NAM . QVOD . AD . CETERA
SOLEMNIA . QVAE . EODEM . ILLO . DIE . VITARE . CAVERIQVE . PLACVSSENT . PLACERENT
QVE . ID . SEQVENDVM . QVOD . DE . IIS . SENATVS . P. R. CENSIVSET . VTIQVE . PRIMO
QVOQVE . TEMPORE . LEGATI . EX . NOSTRO . ORDINE . IMPER . CAESAREM AVGSTVM
PATREM . PATRIÆ . PONTIFICEM . MAXIMVM . TRIBVNICIAE . POTESTATIS . XXV.
ADEANT . PETANTQVE . AB . EO . VTI . COLONIS . IVLIENSIBVS . COLONIAE . OPSEQVENTI
IVLIAE . PISANAE . EX . HOC . DECRETO . EA . OMNIA . FACERE . EXEQVQVE . PERMITTAT .

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. PISIS . IN . FORO . IN . AVGUSTEO . SCRIB . AD
Tuer . Q . SERTORIVS . Q . F . ATILIVS . TACITVS . P . RASINIVS . L . F . BASSVS . L . LAPPVS
P . f . THALLVS . Q . SERTORIVS . Q . F . ALPIVS . PICA . C . VETTIVS . L . F . VIRCVLA . M . HERIVS
M . F . PRISCVS . A . ALBIVS . A . F . GVTTA . TI . PETRONIVS . TI . F . POLLIO . L . FABIVS . L . F . BASSVS .
SEX . APONIVS . SEX . F . CRETICVS . C . CANIVS . C . F . SATVRNIVS . L . OTACILIVS . Q . F . PANTHERA

QVOD . adsvnt . cvm . in . COLONIA . NOSTRA . PROPTER . CONTENTIONES . CANDIDATO
RVM MAGISTRATVS . NON . ESSENT . ET . EA . ACTA . ESSENT . QVAE . INFRA . SCRIPTA . SVNT .
CVM A . d . IIII . NONAS . APRILES . ALLATVS . ESSET . NVNTIVS . CAIVM . CAESAREM . AVGUSTI . PATRIS . PATRI
AE PONTIF . MAXVMI . CVSTODIS . IMPERI . ROMANI . TOTIVSQVE . ORBIS . TERRARVM . PRAE
SIDIS FILIVM . DVI . NEPOTEM . POST . CONSVLATVM . QVEM . VLTRA . FINIS . EXTREMAS . POPV
LI ROMANI . BELLVM . GERENS . FELICITER . PEREGRAT . BERE . GESTA . RE . PVBLICA . DEVICTEIS . AVT
IN . FIDEM . RECEPTIS . BELLICOSISSIMIS . AC . MAXSIMIS . GENTIBVS . IPSVM . VOLNERIBVS . PRO . RE
PVBLICA . EXCEPTIS . EX . EO . CASV . CRVDELIBVS . FATIS . EREPTVM . POPVLO . ROMANO . IAM . DESIGNA
TVMVJSTISSVMVM . AC . SIMILLVMVM . PARENTIS . SVI . VRTVTIBVS . PRINCIPEM . COLONIAEQVE
NOSTRÆ . VNIVM . PRAESIDIVM . EAQVE . RES . NON . DVM . QVIETO . LV'CTV . QVEM . EX . DECES
SV . L . CÆSARIS . FRATRIS . EIVS . CONSVLIS . DESIGNATI . AVGVRIS . PRONI . NOSTRI . PRINCI
PIVS JUVENTVTIS . COLONIA . VNIVERSA . SVSCPERAT . RENOVASSET . MVLTIPLICASSET QVE
MORTORM . OMNIVM . SINGVLORM . VNIVERSORVMQVE . OB . EAS . RES . VNIVERSI . DECY
RIONES . COLONIQVE . QVANDO . EO . CA'SV . IN . COLONIA . NEQVE . IIIVR . NEQVE . PRAEFECTI
ERANT NEQVE . QVISQVM . IVRE . DICVND . PRAERAT . INTER . SESE . CONSENSERVNT . PRO
MAGHITVDINE . TANTAE . AC . TAM . INPROVISAE . CALAMITATIS . OPORTERE . EX . EA . DIE
QVA ejvs . DECESVS . NVNTIATVS . ESSET . VSQVI . AD . EAM . DIEM . QVA . OSSA . RELATA . ATQVE
CONDITA . IVSTAQVE . EIVS . MANIBVS . PERFECTA . ESSENT . CVNCTOS . VESTE . MVTATA . TEMPLIS
QUE DEORM . IMMORTALIVM . BALNEISQVE . PVBLICIS . ET . TABERNIS . OMNIBVS . CLAVIS
CONVICTIBVS . SESE . AFSTINERE . MATRONAS . QVAE . IN . COLONIA' . NOSTRÆ . SVNT . SVBLVGERE
DIEMQVE . EVM . QVO . DIE . C . CÆSAR . OBIT . QVI . DIES . EST . A . D . VIII . K . MARTIAS . PRO . ALLIENSI
LVGUBREM . MEMORIAE . PRODI . NOTARIQVE . IN . PRAESENTIA . OMNIVM . IVSSV . AC
VOLUNTATE . CAVERIQVE . NEQVOD . SACRIFICIVM . PVBLICVM . NEVE . QVAE . SVPLI
CATIONES . NIVE . SPONSALIA . NIVE . CONVIVIA . PVBLICA . POSTEA . IN . EVM . DIEM
EOVE DIE . QVI . DIES . ERIT . A . D . VIII . K . MARTIAS . FIANT . CONCIPIANTVR . INDICAN
TVR NIVE . QVI . LVDI . SCAENICI . CIRCIENSESVE . BO . DIE . FIANT . SPECTENTVR VE
VTIQUE . EO . DIE . QVOD . ANNIS . PVBLICE . MA'NIBVS . EIVS . PER . MAGISTRA'TVS . EOSVE
QVI pisIs . IVRE . DICVND . PRAERVNT . EODEM . LOCO . EODEMQVE . MODO . QVO
L . Cæsari . PARENTARI . INSTITVTVM . EST . PARENTETVR
VTIQVE artvs . CELEBERRIMO . COLONIAE . NOSTRÆ . LOCO . CONSTITUTAVR . ORNA
TVI spoleis . DEVICTARVM . AVT . IN . PIDEM . RECEPTARVM . AB . EO . GENTIVM . SVPER
EVM flata . PEDESTRIS . IPSIVS . TRIVMPHALI . ORNATV . CIRCAQVE . EAM . DVAE
Equestris . INAVRATAE . GAI . ET . LVCI . CÆSARVM . STATVAE . PONANTVR
VTIQVE cuni . PRIMVM . PER . LEGEM . COLONIAE . DVO . VIROS . CREARE . ET . HABERB . PO
TVERIMVS . II . DVO . VIRI . QVI . PRIMI . CREATI . ERVNT . HOC . QVOD . DECVRIONIBVS
ET universis . COLONIS . PLACVIT . AD . DECVRIONES . REFERANT . EORVM . PV
BLICAS AVCTORITATE . ADHIBITA . LEGITVME . ID . CAVEATVR . AVCTORIBVSQVE
IIS in TABVLAS . PVBLICAS . REFERATVR . INTEREA . T . STATVLENVS . IVNCVS
FLAMEN . AVGUSTALIS . PONTIF . MINOR . PVBLICORVM . P . R . SACRORVM . ROGARE
TVR ui CVM . LEGATIS . EXCVSATA . PRAESENTI . COLONIAE . NECESSITATE . HOG
OFFICIUM . PVBLICVM . ET . VOLVNTATEM . VNIVERSORVM . LIBELLO . REDDITO
IMP . CÆSARI . AVGUSTO . PATRI . PATRIAE . PONTIF . MAXSIMO . TRIBVNICIAE
potej . XXVI . INDICET
IDQVE T . STATVLENVS . IVNCVS . PRINCEPS . COLONIAE . NOSTRÆ . FLAMEN . AVGUST .
PONTIF . MINOR . PVBLICORVM . P . R . SACRORVM . LIBELLO . ITA . VT . SVPRA . SCRIPTVM
est IMPERATORI . CÆSARI . AVGUSTO . PONTIFICI . MAXIMO . TRIBVN . POTES T . XXVI . PATRI
PATRIÆ REDDITO . FECERIT . PLACERE . CONSCRIPTIS . QVAE . A . D . IIII . NONAS . APRILES
QVAE Sex . AELIO . CATO . C . SENTIO . SATVRNINO . COS . FVERVNT . FACTA . ACTA . CON
STITUTA fVNT . PER . CONSENSVM . ORDINVM . EA . OMNIA . ITA . FIERI . AGI . HA
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*Plebei op̄servariq̄e. ab. l. titio. a. f. et. a. t. allio. t. f. r̄vfo. IIviris et. ab. eis. quic̄um
que pos̄ea. in. colonia. nostra. IIvir. praefecti. sive. qui. ali. magistratus
erunt omnia. in. perpetuum. ita. fieri. aci. haber. op̄servariq̄e. vt. ique. l. titius
a. f. t. olivs. t. f. r̄vfo. IIviri. ea. omnia. quae. sup̄scripta. sunt. ex. decreto
noſtro coram. pro. quaeſtorib⁹. primo. quoq̄e. tempore. per. scribam. pu-
blicum in. tabulas. publicas. referenda. carent. censvere.*

Tab. 3. v. 8. *Plebei Romanæ viritim SS. trecentos numeravi.* Hic est insignis ille locus de impensis & largitionibus Augusti qui eruditissimi nostratis Arbuthnoti librum illustrare poterit, uti liber iste jam feliciter illustravit Græcam omnem & Romanam antiquitatem. Ejus exemplo, quæ licet, Augusti munera ad monetam hodiernam Britannicam, secundum libras sterlingas, solidos, & denarios, redigemus. Sunt igitur festertii trecenti 45. 10 d.¹. Tocidem *plebei viritim ex testamento patris sui numeravit*: quot etiam testis est Suetonius viritim legasse Julium, cap. 83. *Plebei Archaicè à plebes dictum puta.*

Ibid. v. 8. *Nomine meo quadringenos ex bellorum manib⁹ consul quintum viritim dedi.* i. e. 3l. 4s. 7d. Hujus congiarii cum meminerit sorte Dio, lib. 51. quadringenos istos festertios viritim datos Græcè extulit καὶ οὐκτὸν [l. καὶ ἑταῖρον] δεκχυάς, drachmæ proinde Atticæ quatuor festertios, hoc est denarium Romanum, æquans.

Ibid. v. 12, 13. *Tribunitia potestate duodecimum quadringenos nummos tertium viritim dedi.* Tertium hoc nummorum congiarium obiter attigit Josephus in Antiq. l. 16. c. 4. edit. Huds. p. 719. eique præsentem fuisse regem Herodem scribit, postquam Aquileiae paucis ante diebus cauſam contra filios suos coram Augusto dixisset. Hinc ergo occasionem scitè arripit Norisius, demonstrandi quo anno in Italiam, cauſam eam dicturus, Herodes venerat: anno nempe, quo Augustus Aquileiae substitit, eventa belli Pannonici illic è propinquo spectans; quo etiam Tribunitiam potestatem duodecimum renovavit. Eo verò duplice charactere signatur pars posterior anni U. C. V. 742. Vide Noris. Cen. Pis. diss. 2, c. 6. Ibi telam hanc orditur chronologicam vir ille perspicacissimus, rectius inde perscrutatus Herodis tempora, adeoque verum D. nostri Jesu Christi natalem annum. Speciatim verò pag. 154. sic concludit---“ Hoc planè Ancyranō fāxo “ reselluntur anachronismi illorum scriptorum, qui hanc secundam Herodis peregrinationem Romanam aliis à stabilito annis affigunt.

Ibid. v. 13, 14. *Quæ mea congiaria (singula quatuor intelligit; pecuniae tria, frumenti unum) pervenerunt ad festertium millia, nunquam minus, quinquaginta, & ducenta. hoc est 405, 260 l. 8s. 4d. ex quæ pecuniæ summâ cum plebs quadringenos festertios, hoc est 3l. 4s. 7d. viritim acciperet, qui accepere viri erant numero 125500.*

Ibid. v. 15. *Tribunitiæ potestatis duodecimum, consul XII, trecentis & viginti milibus plebei urbanæ sexagenos denarios (hoc est 1l. 18s. 9d.) viritim dedi.* pervenit itaque hoc congiarium ad 620000 l.

Ibid. v. 17. *Cuiuslibet militum meorum consul quintum ex manib⁹ viritim millia nummam singula (hoc est 8l. 1s. 5d.¹) dedi. Acceperunt id triumphale congiarium in coloniis hominum circiter centum & viginti millia.* His igitur largitus est monetæ nostræ, 968750 l.

Ibid. v. 20. *Consul tertium decimum sexagenos denarios (hoc est 1l. 18s. 9d.) plebei quæcum frumentum publicum acceperunt dedi.* Ea millia hominam paulo plura quam ducenta fuerunt. Dedit igitur eā largitione paulo plus quam 387500 l. Hæc Augusti largitio, quum hic ad consulatum ejus tertium decimum, an. U. C. 752, referatur, opportunè nobis locum indigitat, ubi deficere incipit Dionis historia Augustea; libro nempe 55. editionis Leunclovianæ pag. 554. ibi enim post acta anni 748, & Tiberii tum in Rhodum insulam secessum, statim subjicitur hujus largitionis quarto post anno concessæ mentio, denariis, ut superius, Græcè per δεκχυάς redditis: ὁ δὲ Αὐγύστος τὴν δῆμον τὴν σινδερμήν ταῦτην αἴρεσθαι εἰς εἴκοσι μηναδας κατέλαβε. οὐδὲ γε τινες λέγουσι, καθ' ἓντας δεκχυάς ἔδωκε, i. e. Infinītam plebis multitudinem, quæ frumentum publicum accepit, Augustus ad ducenta hominum millia rededit: & ut nonnulli dicunt, viritim

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iis sexagenos denarios dedit. Obiter verò ex parenthetico isto, ut nonnulli dicunt, non malè adverteret lector, Dionis nunquam visum fuisse hunc Augusti indicem.

Ibid. v. 22, 23. *Pecuniam pro agris, quos in consulatu meo quarto & postea M. Crasso & Cn. Lentulo Augure aūsignavi militibus, solvi municipis. Ea festertium circiter SEX... SIENS milliens fuit. Ita quidem exemplar Fabrianum, quasi extritis tribus literis intermediis; cùm Tournelortianum non nisi hoc modo SEX..... imperfeciūs habeat; at in Busbequiano SEXGENS clarè extet. Hæc igitur me pene invitum impulerunt ut, servato illo G, SEXageSIENS milliens referberem. Sed exterret immanis admodum pecuniae numeratae summa, 48,437500 l. & exposco potius legentium iudicium, annon sexiens milliens, hoc est 4,843,750 l. pars prioris decima, pro veriore sit habenda. Amplum hoc quidem & magnificum: at nemo est qui facilè extricaverit, quanti esset ager Italicus, tot hominum milibus coemendus. Post bellum Siculum, quum adhuc Triumvir eslet Octavianus, unius agri Campani partem terrâ Cnosiâ in Cretâ mutatam emit, & quidem tantâ quanta redditum duodecies festertium daret. Ita Dio lib. 49. cum Velleio lib. 2. cap. 81. conserendum. Præter quos Plinius lib. 18. c. 11. Extat Divi Augusti decretum quo annua vicina millia Neapolitanis... numerari jussit è fisco suo, coloniam deducens Capuam. Super hæc omnia, promissa est iisdem, & præstata postea, aqua Julia. Cætera ex his, Lector, æstima.*

Porro Augustus ad minuendum, ut videtur, rei miraculum, hoc tanto pecuniae onere, quanta fuerit, collationibus se levatum scribit. Sequitur enim

Ibid. v. 24. *Ea festertium circiter sexiens milliens fuit, quam ex collationibus pro praediis numeravi. Quo in loco Gronovius predicatoribus numeravi, & melius longè quam quod à Lipsio erat, fratribus. Nostram istam lectionem reddidere excussa quatuor exemplaria, Busbequianum, Cossonianum, Fabrianum, Tournelortianum. Quicquid sit, saetas magnoperè Augusto collationes, tum statu tempore, Kal. Januarii, tum urgente aliâ necessitate, præter tributa provinciarum annua, nemo non novit. Neque unquam sanè opportuniūs, quam hoc ipso quem indicavit anno (U.C. 724.) in consulatu suo quarto. Tunc enim, per hanc agrorum emptionem, ad extremas angustias redactus, & mediis in victoriis inops, in foro tum sua, tum amicorum bona, miserabili specie, publicavit. Dio lib. 51. pag. 445. Cæsar aliis militum pecuniam dedit; aliis qui omnibus secum bellis sibinent, agrum etiam addidit. Nam eos Italiae populos qui Antonii rebus studnissent, extores egerat, militibusque agros eorum donaverat. Extorrium autem plerisque Dyrrachium, Philippopolis, & alia oppida habitanda concessit. Reliquis pecuniam pro agro aut numeravit; aut numeraturum promisit. Etsi enim ex Victoria magnam vim pecunie adeptus esset, tamen impensa fiebant longè majores: ideoque in foro venalia proposuit & sua, & amicorum aliquot bona. Similia, sed obscurius, innuit, ut observavit superius Casaubonus, ad alterum illum quem Augustus hic signavit annum (U.C. 740.) consulibus M. Crasso & Cn. Lentulo augure. ὁ Αὐγούστος, πολλὰ μὲν ἀναλαῖς ως οἰάσοις, πολλὰ δὲ ταχέως λαζῶν, διωκόσα. i. e. multa in singulis impendens, multa etiam ab aliis corradens, res Augustus administrabat. Res illuc intelligit Hispaniae Galliæque: sed etiam in provinciis collationes, eaque jam statæ, tributi nomine, fiebant.*

Ibid. v. 25. *Et circiter bis milliens & septentiens (hoc est 2,098,958 l. 6 s. 8 d.) quod pro agris provincialibus solvi. Id primus & solus omnium qui deduxerunt colonias militum in Italiam, aut in provinciis ad memoriū etatis meæ feci. In his, nunc primū recte sic lectis & distinctis, amovet à se Augustus objecta Syllæ, & Cæsari priori, in Brutii apud Appianum oratione, de bell. civil. lib. 2. p. m. 840. Sylla & Cæsar vi & armis hostiliter oppresid republicā, neque dimiserunt vos in suam quemque patriam, neque agros vobis emerunt, aut confiscatos diviserunt, neque priſinos eorum dominos pretio redditq; solati sunt, quoniam pecuniarum affatim haberent ex ærario, multum item ex veſtigalibus publicis. sed in ipsa Italiam nihil commeritā, non jure belli, sed more latrociniī, veteribus posseſſoribus ademerunt agros, domos, sepulchra, fana. Tristia hæc quidem & acerba. sed ab ipso eciam Augusto, ante consulatum ejus quartum, haud æquiūs partitiones factæ. Nam (ut ait Dio sub annum U.C. 713.) omnes initio per totam Italiam agros, nisi quid miles aliquis*

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aliquis emeritus dono accepisset, aut à fisco emisset, una cum servitiis & instrumento reliquo dominis adimebat, ac militibus dabat. Unde Virgil. Ecl. 1. En quies conseruimus agros!

Ibid. v. 28. *Ti. Neroni & Cn. Pisoni consulibus.* Non ut vulgo Nerone & Pisone, sic Virgilio & Horatio casu sexto inbri: aliaque aliis eodem casu. Inter inscriptiones vero simile apud Gruterum vide p. cxxviii. 8. QVAM. IMPENSAM. C. CASCELLIO. LABEONI. IN PERPET. POLLICENTI (casu ibi sexto absolute posito) GRATIAE. AGANTVR. MUNIFICENTIAE. EIVS.

Ibid. v. 34. Quater pecunia mea juvi aerarium. Semel, ut habet Dio, in consulari suo sexto lib. 53. pag. 497. & alias, insigni rei memoriam nummo gentis Viniciæ sic inscripta, S. P. Q. R. IMP. CAES. QVOD. V. M. S. EX. EA. P. Q. IS. AD. A. DE. i.e. quod viæ munera sint ex eâ pecunia quam is ad aerarium detulit.

Ibid. v. 34. Ita ut sefertium milliens & quinquies (hoc est 811,328l. 25.6d.) ad eos qui præterant aerario detulerim. In hoc commate, pro isto ad eos qui, antea turpissimo errore adeo solvi legebatur.

Ibid. v. 25, &c. *M. Æmilio & L. Arruntio Cos.* in aerarium militare quod ex consilio . . . constitutum est: ex quo præmia darentur militibus qui viginti stipendia emeruerint, HS. milliens & septingenties detuli. Dione auctore sic imple priorem istam lacunam, ex consilio senatus: Sic verò secundam, HS. milliens & septingentiens, *Ti. Cæsar's nomine & meo.* Dio enim, loco omnium insignissimo, post enarratas Augusti legiones, lib. 55. pag. 565, hæc habet. His de caufis, quum indigret pecunia, senatum consultuit de redditu quodam perpetuo consiliuendo, unde circa ullius iuriam stipendia ac præmia militibus sufficienter. Id igitur quarebatur Deinde *M. Æmilio L. Arruntio* consilibus, quum nullus redditus excogitari possit, sed & queri cum omnes gravatè ferrent, Augustus, pro se & Tiberio, in aerarium, cui militaris nomen indidit, pecuniam intulit. Ea, auctore hic ipso Augusto, HS. milliens & septingentiens sunt; hoc est, 1,372,395l. 16s. 8d.

Tab. 4. v. 1. Curiam & continens et Chalcidicum. hoc, est Chalcidicum Curiae Juliae conjunctum. Veterem illam lectionem, continens et Chalcidicum, quum ægrè passus esset Gronovius, decrevit ille Augustum scripsisse, curiam & continens et Chalcidicum. Et mea quidem sententia justissimè. Nam suffragatum est id quod postea comparuit exemplar Fabrianum: levique ista mutatione vox durè & obscurè posita statim mirè elegans evadit. Quippe de terra, de ædificio, aut quopiam simili loquentibus Latinum continens ei id ipsum est quod Græcum εὐεχής αὐτῷ. Neque aliā profectō ratione, quā quod non erant alii continentē, sed disjuncte undique & separatæ, magnæ pleræque domus Romanis insulae dicebantur.

Tab. 4. v. 1, 2. Curiam & . . . Chalcidicum . . . feci. Dio lib. 51. Consul quintum Augustus nō, τε Ἀβλωαῖον, ή πόλις η] Χαλκιδικὸν ἀνομασμένον, ή πόλις τῆραν τὸ Ιαλίειον καθίσπεται. Quæ vide annon sic fuerint vertenda; tum Minervium (quod & Chalcidicum nominatum est) tum curiam Julianam sacravit: Ita ut non fuerint hæc tria Dionis ædificia, sed duo tantummodò, ut in Augusti indice; curia Julia, & Chalcidicum. Cum enim in incerto reliquerint eruditæ viri, quid & quale fuerit Chalcidicum; mihi non obscurè subvenit, non aliud fulsse quā Minervium, Græcè Ἀβλωαῖον, signum habens Chalcidicæ, ab urbe Chalcide, Minervæ. Sic enim P. Victor, in descripta ab eo nonā urbis regione, Minervium, Minerva Chalcidica: quorum priore locus Minervæ sacer, at posteriore Dex signum indigitatur. In confinio urbis Aleppensis, Bereæ antiquitatem dictæ, obviam reperitur φ. Δ. ΧΑΛΚΙΔΕΩΝ nummus, ad Chalcidem, urbem Syriacam, Cleopatra olim subjectam, clarè pertinens. Hanc, quum, devicta nuper Cleopatrâ, res Asiae Syriæque consul. V. ordinavit, credibile est victorem Cæsarem adiisse, exque eâ aut signum, aut aliud quid Minervæ ornamentum, detulisse; eodemque anno Romæ Minervium hoc Chalcidicum extruxisse. Nam (ut ibidem adjecit Dio, lib. nempe 51. p. 459.) ex prædā Ægyptiacæ multa Jovi Capitolino, Junonique & Minervæ consecravit: quum ex S. C. tanquam contaminata essent, detraberentur omnia prius suspenſa in eorum templis ornamenta. Ita Cleopatra, quanquam villa & enīta, gloriam turnen con-

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secuta est, quum in templis nostris ejus ornamenta essent dedicata. Eadem urbs Chalcis Domitiano postea, tanquam instauratori suo, adulata, secundum gentile Imperatoris nomen, *Flaviam se Chalcidem appellavit*, & exinde novam Epocham signavit; id docente primùm, & demonstrante, Em. Norisio, de Epochis Syr. Mac. dissert. 3. cap. 3. Contra autem Domitianus tum urbi Chalcidicæ gratulatus, tum Minervæ alijs addictissimus, *Minervia Chalcidica extruxit*; de quo adeatur Eusebii chronicon, ad numerum MMCV. & commentator in locum Josephus Scaliger. Nam ut de re ipsa, ita & de Scaligeranis ad eam observatis in diversa abeunt Casaubonus & Gronovius. Mihi interim ex supradictis clare satis innotescit, hoc nostrum *Chalcidicum Minervio* aut synonymum, aut epitheton, suisse. Minervam autem *Chalcidicam*, *Aetolis & Lacedæmoniis olim cultam*, & *Chalciacon* (ut habent Livius & Pausanias) i. e. templum ejus æneum, longè ab hoc Minervio Chalcidico alienum puto.

Quæ sequuntur de templo *Apollinis in palatio cum porticibus*, deque aliis Augusti publicis operibus, ea cum Suetonianis Aug. c. 29, &c. & cum Dione passim, & cum P. Victoris tabulis conferenda.

Ibid. v. 6. *Ædem Larum in summâ sacrâ viâ*. Larum intellige publicorum, compitalium & vialium aliter dictorum, de quorum æde ex collationibus per Augustum factâ Inscriptio legitur Farnesiana, Grut. cvi. 4.

LARIBVS . PVBLICIS . SACRVM
IMP. CAESAR . DIVI . F. AVGVSTVS
PONTIFEX . MAXIMVS
TRIBVNIC. POTESTAT . XVIII.
EX . STIPE . QVAM . POPVLVS . EI
CONTVLIT . K. IANVAR . APSENTI
C. CALVISIO . SABINO
L. PASSIENO . COS.

ædem adjicit *Deum Penatium in Veliâ*, hoc est parte montis Palatini, quæ facellum Larum P. Victor dicitur. Hi quoque Penates publici, aliter Pop. Rom. Penates dicti.

Ibid. v. 10. *Rivos aquarum compluribus locis vetustate labentes feci*: ut in veteri quæ Romæ extat inscriptione,

IMP. CAESAR . DIVI. IVLI . F. AVGVSTVS
PONTIFEX . MAXIMVS . COS . XII.
TRIBVNICIAE . POTESTAT . XIX . IMP . XIII.
RIVOS . AQVARVM . OMNIVM . REFECIT.

Ibid. v. 15, 16. *Incobavi non inchoavi*: ut etiam, notante Torrentio, in optimo Suetoniano codice, Aug. c. 97. itinere incobato. Ubi habes, Lector, veram non minus quam Archaicam vocis orthographiam, idque ex mente illustris dum hæc scripta sunt, grammatici, Verri Flacci, qui ab Augusto nepotibus ejus præceptor electus ipso docuit in palatio. Notatum hoc Diomedi lib. 1. *Incobavi*, inquit, dicendum putat *Julius Modestus*: quia sit compositum à eabo initio rerum, quod *Verrius Flaccus* in postrema syllaba aspirandum probavit. Cobaum enim apud veteres mundum significat.

Ibid. v. 17. *Duo & octoginta templa Deum in urbe consul refeci, &c.* Cauto Cæsar discrimine alia se templa fecisse, alia refecisse dicit. Fecit scilicet non ea solummodo quæ primus ipse extruxit, sed quæ olim ab aliis extructa, & vetustate jam delapsa in ruinas, à fundamentis iterum excitavit. Hæc inter, ædem Jovis Feretrii, & ædem Deum Penatium superius memoravit: de quarum tamen posteriore perperam sic Casaubonus, *Hanc refecit, non fecit*. De priore etiam incautijs locutus ipse Livius, *Augustum Cæarem tradit, templorum omnium conditorem aut restitutorem, ingressum ædem Feretrii Jovis, quam vetustate dilapsam refecit*, lib. 4. c. 20. Pari incuria Suetoni-

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us c. 30. ades sacras vetustate collapsas, aut incendio absumtas refecit. Ast Augustus haec à se facta, tanquam sua sibi opera, vendicavit, capite hujus tabulae primo. Hic vero alia ab iis templo, duo & octoginta numero, quum labefactari jam inceperint, & ruinari, ni reparentur, minitari, se propriè refecisse dicit, hoc est ne conciderent cavisse. Idem ab eo observatum, quicunque is fuerit, qui ad calcem hujus indicis ab Augusto scripti, operum ejus ἀναφελάσιον hoc modo subdidit, *Opera fecit nova, ædem Matris Magnæ &c. Refecit Capitolium &c.* Reclè igitur non minus quam dulciloquè Ovidius 2. Fast. v. 59. postquam collapsam Matris Magnæ ædem deploraverat,

Cætera ne simili caderent labefacta ruinâ,
Cavat sacrati provida cura ducis:
Sub quo delubris sentitur nulla senectus:
Nec satis est homines, obligat ille Deos.
Templorum positor, templorum sancte resector,
Sit superis opto mutua cura tui.

Tempus resectorum tot templorum, quod excidit ab his tabulis, videtur hic innuere Ovidius, rem nempe tribuens providentiae sacrati ducis, hoc est, Pontificis Max. creati A. U. V. 741.

Tab. 4. v. 21. *Martis Ultoris templum, Forumque Augustum seci.* Ex voto quod A. U. V. 712. ante prærium Philippense, ob paternæ cædis ultiōnem, suscep- rat. unde Ovidius Fast. V. de ludis Martis Ultoris mense Maio celebratis,

v. 551. Ultor ad ipse suos calo descendit honores,
Templaque in Augusto conspicienda foro.
569. Voverat hoc juvenis tunc cùm pia sustulit arma:
A tantis princeps incipiens erat.
Ille manus tendens, binc stanti milite justo,
Hinc conjuratis, talia dieta dedit.
Mars ades, & satia scelerato sanguine ferrum;
Stetque favor causâ pro meliore tuus.
Templa seres, &, me Villore, vocaberis Ultor.

Templi hujus dedicationem ut ad vi. Idus Maianas pocta retulit Ovidius, ita ad annum U. C. V. 752. Velleius Historicus: ipso nempe Augusto XIII. & Caninio Gallo Coss. tum scilicet, cùm nondum Augusto sufficiens esset, qui superius Caninii collega dicitur, Q. Fabricius. Anno, inquit, quo magnissimissimi gladiatori muneris, nauma-chiæque spectaculis Divus Augustus, abbinc annos triginta, se & Gallo Caninio Consulibus, dedicato Martis templo, animos oculosque populi Romani repleverat, lib. 25. cap. ci. Ejusdem etiam eodem anno dedicati plenior historia conscripta à Dione est, sed in libro mutilo 55. parte eā quæ interiit. Id indicat contentorum in eo libro syllabus sic conceptus. ὡς οὐ Αὐγύστου ιερῷ (l. ἀγορῇ) καθηγών. ὡς οὐ Αγέων ράδος οὐ εὐ αὐτῷ οὐ καθηγών. i.e. ut Augusti forum, utque templum in eo Martis dedicatum est. Sed an diversum hoc fuerit à templo Martis cognomine Ultoris, de quo paulo post Ovidius, idemque Dio ad annum U. C. 734. lib. 54. p. 526, dispiciendum in notis ad Tab. 5. v. 41.

Ibid. v. 24, 25. *Dona ex Manibiis confacravi, quæ mibi confisterunt HS circiter milliens, hoc est, 807,291 l. 13 s. 4 d.* ubi notari libet tria Orthographica: milliens nempe, & similia per totum hunc Indicem, interposito n scripta; cùm non nisi infinitis numerorum adverbii ut quotiens, totiens, &c. interponi illud dixerit Priscianus; lib. de ponderibus. Confacravi quoque hic & alibi non semel; cui simile in veteris Nepotis codicibus observatum à Dausqueio. Manibiis etiam, non manubiis, hic jam tertium scribitur; idque auctore Verrio, qui, ut ait Charilius, manibias per duo i scriben-dum, quia sunt à manibus, putavit. Omnino igitur aut corrigendus aut rejiciendus erit Velius Longus, qui hæc habet in libello de Orthographiâ. Antiquis variè scriptum est, mancipium, aucupium, manubia. Siquidem C. Cæsar per i scripsit, ut appareat ex titulis ipsius: at Augustus i per u, ut testes sunt ejus inscriptiones.

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Tab. 4. v. 26. *Auri coronari pondo triginta & quinque millia municipiis & colovis Italie conserentibus ad triumphos meos quintum consul remisi.* Ad cæteras anni 725. felicitates quo Cæsar Consul V. tres egit triumphos, Dalmaticum, Aetiacum, Alexandrinum, accessit pecunia undecimque affluentis copia, adeò ut scenus quod ante denario pendebatur tum ad trienitem ejus reciderit. Ergo qui anno superiore tanto ære alieno obstrictus fuit, nunc omnia quæ debebat persolvit Cæsar, sibi debita ab aliis non accepit. Dio lib. 51. Haec inter urbibus Italie auri coronarii, ad tres triumphos collati, pondo triginta quinque millia, hoc est, 1,130,208 l. 6 s. 8 d. remisit: ipso illo tempore, quo militibus suis triumphalis congarii nomine 968,750 l. diviserat; & plebei urbanæ ex manib[us] 405,260 l. 8 s. 4 d. vide supra notata ad Tab. 3. v. 8, 19.

Ibid. v. 29. *Aurum coronarium non accepi.* Vocis originem notavit Dio, Χεροιον is seφάνης vocans: ast usū denunti coronarium idem fuiss' ac gratutium, aut honorarium, è Suidâ in εφανικὸν τίλεμα observandum: quo sensu tum Rhodiis, tum Gallo-græcis nos tris Ancyranis id genus loquendi vulgò usurpatum fuit. Quippe Rhodii, cùm sui juris essent, modicam pensionem annuam honoris ergo mittebant Romanis, non tam ducibus tributum, quād amicis coronam dono dantes. Et Ancyra, inquit, seφάνην λέγεται τὸν ἐν χαρεστῷ μέρεδ διδούσθων, i. e. Coronarium id omne dicunt quod gratuito munere oblatum est.

Ibid. v. 32, 33. *Ludos feci meo nomine quater, aliorum autem magistratum absentium ter & vigens.* Ecce locum quem pñne exscriptis olim, nunc autem, post longi temporis injurias, emendat & restituit Suetonius: sic enim ille in Aug. c. 43. *Fecisse ludos se ait suo nomine quater: pro aliis magistratibus qui aut abeſſent, aut non ſufficerent, ter & vices.* Malè igitur, in Suetonii codicibus, ſuceptum reddiderunt hunc numerum gnater & Lipſius & Caſaubonus.

Inter ludos Augusti præcelluerunt ii quos faciebat Veneri Genitrici, non multo poſt obitum patris Cæſaris, in collegio ab eo instituto. Namque bis verbis (inter ejus commentaria, credo, inventis, feliciter verò à Plinio ſervatis) id gaudium prodidit. “ Iis ipsis ludorum meorum diebus fidus crinitum per ſep̄tem dies in regione cœli, quae ſub Septentrio- nibus est, conſpectum. Id oriebatur circa undecimam horam diei, clarumque & omnibus terris conſpicuum fuit. Foſidere ſignificari vulgus eredit Cæſaris animam inter Deorum immortalium numina receptam: quo nomine id inſigne ſimulachro capit is ejus, quod mox in ſoro conſecravimus, adjectum eſt. Haec ille in publicum. Interiore gaudio ſibi illum natum, ſequi in eo naſci interpretatus eſt. Et, ſi verum fatemur, ſalutare id terris fuit. Plin. Nat. Hist. l. 2. c. 25. De cometis ſubnotare liceat, non inane eſſe quod adjectit Plinius, Sunt qui & haec ſidera perpetua eſſe credant, ſuoque ambitu ire: neque falſo vaticinatum eſſe Senecam Philoſophum, Nat. Quæſt. l. 7. c. 26. Erit qui demonſtrat aliquando in quibus cometæ partibus errant. Nam noſtrâ ætate extitit Philoſophus & Geometra ſumimus, Edm. Halleius, L.L.D. cujus ſublimi ingenio, & invictæ circa cœleſtia induſtria, grande hoc naturæ arcañum ceſſiſſe creditur.

Ibid. v. 36 &c. In collegio XV-virorum magiſter, adiello in collegium M. Agrippa, per Quindecimviroſ, C. Furnio, C. Silano Cof. quinto ſeci ludos ſæculares. Per Quindecimviroſ: quia ludi ſæculares antiquitus iſti collegio curæ fuerunt. Quoniam verò, teſte Tacito An. 6. 11, magiſtratus potiſſimum exequabantur officia cæremoniarum, ideò Quindecimviratum ſucepit ipſe Cæſar, & Agrippam in collegium optari ſecit. Cæſarem eā occaſione XV-virum prodiſt ipſius nummus, IMP. CAES. AVG. LVD. SAEC. XV. S. F. magiſtrum XV virorum Faſtorum marmoreorum fragmentum, Grut. ccxcv.

LVDI. SAECVLARES. QVINCT.
IMP. CAESARE. DIVI. F. AVGVSTO
C. SENTIO. C. F. C. N. SATVRNINO MAG. XV. VIR.
M. CLAVDIO. M. F. M. N. MARCELLO. STRIGONE
M. FVFIO. M. F. D. LAELIO. D. F. D. N. BALBO.

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Agrippæ in collegium cooptatio, suo loco neglecta à Dione, anno tamen in sequente obiter ei memorata est, libro nempe 54. pag. 534. Tum, inquit, *Augusti Quinquennalia sumptibus Agrippæ aucta: nam is quoque à collegio Quindecim-virorum, quibus per ordinem eorum curatio incunbebat, cooptatus & inauguratus fuerat.* Verè igitur accuratissimus scriptor Censorinus, de die nat. cap. 17. *Quintos ludos [sæculares] C. Furnio, C. Junio Silano Cof. anno DCCXXXVII. Cæsar Augustus & Agrippa fecerunt.* Ceterū de hinc ludis sæcularibus unicè legendus erit Zosimus lib. 2. ubi erravit, non ipse, ut puto, Zosimus, sed aliquis ejus exscriptor somnolentus, in nominibus consulum *Aegnis Kluzagins* & *Tatius Sæcivis* pro *Tatius Sæcivis* & *Tatius Sæcivis* peccimè exaratis.

Ibid. v. 38. *Ludos sæculares [nulli vivorum viros ante] id tempus, deinde [non iterum videndos . . .] ut fortè suppleri poterit: aut, si sic malit Lector, *Ludos sæculares [intermissos . . . ante] id tempus, deinde [post decimum centesimumque annum, ut edicto monui, repetendos.]**

Horum primum non improbabile facit praconis vox vocantis ad ludos quos nemo vidit, aut iterum visurus est, cum Ovidii carmine, Trist. 2. Eleg. 1. — quo tempore ludos — Fecit, quos aetas aspicit una semel: alterum doctissima illa Censorini capite prædicto dissertatio; “ Ita institutum esse, ut centesimo quoque anno no fierent, id cum Antias, aliisque Historici auctores sunt, tum Varro de scenicis originibus, libro primo. Item T. Livius libro cxxxvi. Eodem anno ludos sæculares Cæsar ingenti apparatu fecit; quos centesimo quoque anno (si enim terminus siéculi) ferimus. At contra, ut decimo centesimoque anno repetantur, tam commentarii Quindecim-virorum, quam D. Augusti edicta testari videntur. Adeo ut Horatius Flaccus in carmine quod sæcularibus ludis cantatum est, id tempus hoc modo designaverit; Certus undenos decies per annos — Orbis ut cantus referatque ludos.

Ibid. v. 42. *Navalis prælli spectaculum populus dedi trans Tiberim, in quo loco nunc nemus est Cæsarum, cavato solo, &c.* Magnificentissimam hanc Naumachiam anno 752 exhibtam à Cæsare Augusto tum tertium decimum Cof. Velleius, l. 2. c. 101. prodidit. Ergo nihil ad rem Dio, qui integro, quod dolendum est, decennio, ab anno 748 ad 758 mutilatus ad nos pervenit. At Suetonius, ipsis fere Augulti verbis, fecisse ait navale præmium circa Tiberim cavato solo, in quo nunc Cæsarum nemus est. Aug. c. 43. Ad ea verba recte monuit Casaubonus & nunc non restringendum esse ad Suetonii tempora, cùm Augustus hoc ipsum scriperit, quinto decimo post exhibitam Naumachiam anno. Statim igitur in naumachia loco succrevit hoc nemus Cæsarum, Caui nempe & Lucii Cæsarum nomine cohonestatum: idemque videtur fuisse ac naumachia hæri Suetonio in Tib. cap. 72 memorati; quamvis illic crediderit Torrentius significari vetustiores illos hortos, quos Julius Cæsar populo legavit, quosque innuit Horatius, lib. 1. Sat. 9. *Trans Tiberim longe cubat is prope Cæsaris hortos.*

Ibid. v. 23, &c. *In templis omnium civitatum primarum Europæ & Asie viator ornamenta reposui, quæ spoliatis templis is cum quo bellum gereram privatim possederat.* His, quæ, auctore Plinio, notavit Casaubonus, de Apolline Ephesio Myronis opere, accedant ab eodem subindicata ampliora longe Strabonis testimonia. Sami, inquit lib. 14, tria erant Myronis opera colossica, uni insistentia basi, quæ cum sustulisset Antonius omnia, Augustus Cæsar duo reposuit in basi eandem, Minervam felicet atque Herculem. Jovem in Capitolium translit, facello ei parato. Antea vero lib. 13. *Statuam Ajacis clavis sublatam Antonius in Ægyptum asportasset, reddidit eam Rhæteensibus, sicut & alii idem fecerat Augustus Cæsar.* Nam pulcherrima templorum donaria Ille, ut Cleopatram demeretur, avexerat; Hic diis ea reddidit.

Ibid. v. 24. *Is cum quo bellum gereram.* Ita Antonium designari placuit. At peroram hic explevit Lipsius, Antonius cum quo &c. ut etiam initio monumenti, *Antonit* *sationis, &c.* Neutrum enim in iis locis patiuntur aut versuum spatiola, aut mens Augusti. Mens, inquam, Augusti; quia de industria planè, siquem è vieti & se ducibus indigicare vellet, neminem eorum nomine dignatur: non Brutum & Cassium, non Lepidum, non S. Pompeium; ergo minimè omnium M. Antonium, malè saustâ memoriâ virum, cuius natalis dies pro nefasto habitus, & honores in publicis monumentis aut deleti, aut deleri jussi. Dio l. 51. pag. 456.

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Ibid. v. 53. *Exque et pecunia dona aurea, &c. His fides conciliatur Suetonio & Dioni, diversa de his statuis tradidisse visis. Suetonio, qui cap. 52. ex iis aureas cortinas Apollini Palatino dedicatas tradit: Dioni verò, qui lib. 53. pag. 511. statuas illas argenteas in numisna concisae dicit.*

Tab. 4. v. 1. *Mare pacavi à prædonibus. Eo bello, &c. Ita scilicet de S. Pompeio, omnique ejus nautico armamento loqui Augusto placuit; cui etiam assentatus est Velleius, ad mentem linguamque Imperatoris compositus adulator, l. 2. c. 73. S. Pompeius, inquit, occupata Sisilia servitia fugitivosque in numerum exercitus sui recipiens magnum modum legionum efficerat, perque Menam & Meneacratem paternos libertos, præfectos classum, latrocinii ac prædationibus infestato mari, ad se exercitumque tuendum rapto utebatur, cum non depudaret vindicatum armis ac duellu patriis mare infestare piraticis seculeribus. Hæ causæ tunc à Cæsare prætextæ: Jamque id bellum palam ut piraticum & servile posteris depingit: quod tamen Siculi nomine traditum ab Historicis, & mole ingens, & diu fortuna anceps, donec A. U. C. V. 718, Agrippæ honorem coronæ navalis, Cæsari ovationis peperit. vide Not. ad v. 34.*

Ibid. v. 1, &c. *Eo bello, servorum qui fugissent à dominis suis, & arma contra rempublicam trairant, triginta serè millia capti dominis ad supplicium sumendum tradidi. Compar his Dio l. 49. pag. 319. Servi à Cæsare dominis redditæ: si cuius verò dominus non inveniretur, is in crux attus. Idem plenius aliquanto tradit Appianus de bell. civ. l. 5. p. m. 1178. addito insuper, Hic tum bellorum finis visus est, quem Cæsar annorum jam oculo & venti effet, oppidatim inter deos tutelares consecratus.*

Ibid. v. 3. *Juravit in mea verba tota Italia sponte suâ. Imminebat jam inter Cæsarem & Antonium bellum, tantâ, inquit Dio, utriusque contentione, ut sociorum auxilia etiam sacramento rogaverint firmanda. l. 50. pag. 422. Speciatim verò de Italâ Suetonius, cap. 17. Bononiensibus publicè, quod in Antoniorum clientelâ antiquitûs erant, gratiam fecit conjurandi cum totâ Italâ pro partibus suis. Tota Italia, inquit Caesar, eo modo Antonio tacite respondens, qui partem sibi dimidiam militum Italizæ tanquam utrique communis vendicaverat. Dio pag. 419.*

Ibid. v. 4. *Tota Italia—mz, pro viltis ducibus, ducem depoposcit. Juraverunt in eadem verba Gallie, Hispanie, Africa, Sicilia, Sardinia. Per hæc quoque ob viam itum est Antonii criminationibus, qui incusabat Cæsarem, quod Lepidum magistratu detruisset: quodque provincias & exercitum, cum Lepidi, tum Sexti sibi vendicasset, quæ debuerant communia ambobus esse: horum dimidiam partem postulabat. Dio lib. 50. pag. 419. Contrâ Cæsar, Lepidum Sextumque, sorte belli victos, & loco & imperio cessisse contendebat; se pro iis à volente totâ Italâ, & provinciis, delectum ducem.*

Ibid. v. 6. . . . ve Senatores plures quam DCC in consulibus facti ad eum diem quo scripta sunt circiter CLXX. Hæc adeo imperfecta quod pertinente non est in promptu divinare: quanquam major ille Senatorum numerus videtur eorum suisse qui juraverunt in verba Cæsaris; at hic minor eorum qui, cum Domitio & Sosio Coss. ad Antonium se contulerunt. Dio, pag. 420. Pauciores enim quam mille numero senatores haud eo tempore fuerunt.

Ibid. v. 9. *Omnium provinciarum quibus finitimæ fuerunt gentes, quæ nondum subiectæ erant Pop. Romano, fines auxi. Verissimè; nam, ut habet Eutropius l. 7. c. 5. Suetonio in hoc paulò auctior, præter Mauritaniam Cæsariensem & Galatiam, quæ sub Augusto provinciæ factæ sunt, cum regna antea fuissent; Romano adjectis imperio Ægyptum, Cantabriam, Dalmatiam sc̄e ante vietam, sed penitus tunc subactam; Pannoniā, Aquitaniam, Illyricum, Rhætiam, Vindelicos, & Salassos in Alpibus, omnes Ponti maritimas civitates: in his nobilissimas, Bosporum & Panticapœon. Cum verò dixerit Vindelicos & Salassos in Alpibus, addi his poterant reliquæ omnes Alpinæ gentes, secundum inscriptionem quam è tropœo Alpium Historiæ Naturali Plinius inseruit lib. 3. cap. 20. IMP. CAESARI. DIVI. F. AVGVSTO. PONT. MAX. IMP. XIII. TRIBVNIC. POTESTAT. XVII. S. P. Q. R. QVOD. EIVS. DVCTV. AVSPICISQ. GENTES. ALPINÆ. OMNES. QVAE .A. MARI. SVPERO. AD. INFERVM. PERTI-*

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PERTINEBANT. SVB. IMPERIVM. P. R. REDACTAE. SVNT. Talis extat in Gruteriano corpore, p. ccxxvi. Sed, ut videtur, parte sui priore ad Criticorum libitum adornata.

Ibid. v. 10, &c. Gallias & Hispanias, provinciasque . . . quas alluit Oceanus, à Gaudibus ad ostium Albis fluminis . . . [ab usque regijone eti que proxima est Hadriano mari, armis perlustravi; nulli genti bello per injuriam intulato. Confer Suetoniana in Aug. cap. 21. Germanos ultra Albim fluvium summovit . . . Alias item nationes male quietas ad obsequium redigit. Nec ulli genti sine iustis & necessariis causis bellum intulit. Hinc fortè simpliciter suppleri poterit [& alias ab usque regijone ea, &c. aut si malit Lector, [& ad Istrum à regijone ea, &c. quia inter laudes Augusti habebatur mari oceano, aut amplus longinquis septum imperion. Tacit. An. 2. c. 9. vide Not. ad Tab. 5. v. 49.

Ibid. v. 14. Clavis Romana ab orio Rheni ad solis orientis regionem ad [orbis extrem]ā navigavit. Hic est cursus ille Euro-boreus, quo propius axem Septentrionalem Orientem versus navigatur; tritus hodie magna Russiae mercatoribus. Is, à Romanis tunc primum tentatus, gloriæ Augusto fuit. Ita enim Plinius Nat. Hist. I. 2. cap. 67. Septentrionalis Oceanus, majore ex parte navigatus est, auspiciis Divi Augusti; Germanians classe circumveletā, ad Cimborum promontorium: & inde, immenso mari prospetto, aut fama cognito, ad Scythican plagam, & humore nimio rigentia. Eadem clavis à Velleio I. 2. cap. 106. minoratur: ut quæ Oceani circum navigaverat finis, & ab inaudito aqua non cognito mari redux flumine Albi subiecta est. Ergo exciti circa Albim populi per legatos amicitiam Cæsaris & populi Romani petierunt, ii nempe quorum in commate sequenti mentio, viz.

Ibid. v. 16. Cimbri, & Chariides, & Semnones, & ejusdem tractus alii Germanorum populi. Horum Cimbri & Semnones Geographis & Historicis satis noti. Chariides, seu Charydes (quorum hoc habet exemplar Tournesortianum, illud verò Fabrianum) iūdem fuere atque Harudes apud Cæsarem de Bello Gall. I. 1. c. 7, 12. quorum millia xxiv, Germaniā suā reliktā, locum ac sedem in Galliā ab Ariovisto accepérunt.

Ibid. v. 18, &c. Meo jussu & auspicio ducti sunt duo exercitus eodem se d tempore in Aethiopiam, & in Arabiam. In Arabiam circa U. C. 730. duce Aelio Gallo. Hunc Augustus Cæsarius in Arabiam misit, ut eas gentes & loca pertentaret. Unde pulchra de iisdem historia à Strabone, Aelii Galli comite & amico, in Geographicis, lib. 16. conscripta extat. In Aethiopiam verò, anno 732, ductus est exercitus à Petronio Aegypti præside, qui Candace Aethiopum reginam tantum non devicit, compulitque ut ad Cæsarem, Sami anno 733 agentem, legatos mitteret, pacem veniamque oraturos. Strab. lib. 17.

Ibid. v. 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30. Armenia major, interfecito rege ejus Artaxid. — In potestatem Tigranis regis, per Ti. Neronom, transtuli Armeniam gentem. Postea inquietam gentem & rebellantem dominam per Caium filium meum regi Ariobarzani . . . gubernaculam & frenandam tradidi, & post ejus mortem filio ejus Artavasdi: quodam jure Ariobarzane qui erat ex regio genere Armeniorum oriundus in id regnum deduxto. — Armenia major, post devictum à Pompeio regem ejus Tigranem, hac unâ servitutis lege obstricta est Romanis, ut ab iis reges suos acciperet. Eâ igitur occasione gemina sub Augusto facta est in Armeniam expeditio: una anno 734, per Tiberium ejus tum privignum; altera anno 753, per filium ejus Caium. Utramque ita tradiderunt & Augustus in hoc rerum suarum indice, & Tacitus in Annalium libro 2. cap. 3. ut alter alteri lumen vicissim non incertum præbeant. Iterum igitur audiatur gravissimus Annalista, quanquam antea adductus à Gronovio, & cum Augusto nunc pleniū edito, denuo componatur. Armenia inter Parthorum & Romanas opes infida: ob scelus Antonii qui Artavasden regem Armeniorum specie amicitiae inleclum . . . interfecerat. Ejus filius Artaxias memoria patris nobis infensus Arsacidarum vi seque regnumque tutatus est. Occiso Artaxid per dolum propinquorum datus à Cæsare Armenis Tigranes, deductusque in regnum à Tiberio Nerone. Nec Tigrani diuturnum imperium fuit, neque liberis ejus . . . Dein jussu Augusti impositus Artavasdes, at non sine clade nostrâ dejectus.

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dicitur. Tum C. Cæsar compenendit Armeniae deligitur. Is Ariobarzanem origine Medum ab infingu corporis formam & præclarum animum volentibus Armeniis præfecit. Ariobarzane morte fortuita absunto, stirpem ejus haud toleravere. Ecce! Ariobarzanem recentiori origine Medum hi Annales prodidere: eundem Augusti index antiquiori suâ origine è regio Armenianorum genere prognatum: ideoque jure quodammodo in id regnum deductum. Utrique pariter memoratur mors Ariobarzanis: succedente secundum Tacitum ejus stirpe, hoc est secundum Augustum Artavasde ejus filio.

Ibid. v. 27. In potestatem Tigranis regis, per T. Nero[n]em diadematæ ejus capiti imposito.] Ita lacunam implevi, auctoriibus Suetonio & Velleio: quorum ille in Tiberii vita cap. 9. duco in Orientem exercitu, regnum Armeniae Tigrani restituit, ac pro tribuuali diademata imposuit. Hic verò l. 2. cap. 122. Quis, inquit, dubitare potest, quin ex Armeniâ recepta, & ex rege ei imposito, cuius capiti insigne regnum sua manu imposuerat, ordinatisque rebus Orientis, ovans triumphum debuerit? Is rex Velleio cap. 94. Artavasdes, cæteris vero Historicis, ut Suetonio, Tacito, Dion, Josepho, & cum his ipsi etiam Augusto, Tigranes dicitur.

Ibid. v. 28. Inquietam gentem & rebellantem domitam per Caïum filium meum. Id suprà testatur Pisanus lapis, pag. 193. cùm a. d. iii. nonas Aprilis, Sex. Ælio Cato, C. Sennio Saturnino Coss. Augusto Tribunicie potestatis xxvi, hoc est A. U. 757, allatus effet munus Caïum Cæsarem, Augusti patris patriæ Pontif. Maxsumi, custodis Imperi Romani, totiusque orbis terrarum præsidis, filium, Divi nepotem, post consulatum, quem ultra finis extremis populi Romani bellum gerens feliciter peregerat, bene gestâ republicâ, devictis, aut in fidem receptis bellicosissimis ac maxsimis gentibus, ipsum, vulneribus pro republicâ exceptis, ex eo cajū crudelibus fatis erectum, populo Romano iam designatum iustissimum, ac finillum parentis sui virtutibus principem.

Ibid. v. 32. Provincias omnes que trans Hadrianum mare vergunt & Ponticas Asianasque jam ex magna parte regibus eas possidentibus concepsi. Ex magnâ parte dicit Augustus, hoc est frater pauca, interprete Suetonio, quem adi in Aug. c. 48. De ponti & Asie regulis, deque regnis que iis concederat Augustus, amplissimum habemus Noristi commentarium, Cen. Pij. pag. 224, &c. Trans Hadrianum mare provincias, partim Danubium versus protensa intelligit, Dalmatiam, Illyricum, Pannoniam utramque, Moesiam; partim versus Ægæum mare & Hellespontum; Græciam, Macedoniam, Thraciam. Multa in his, aut regulis, aut sacerdotibus, aut civitatibus permisit Cæsar; speciatim verò populo Atheniensium veterem Deli insulæ possessionem, qualem eam, post fugatum Mithridatem, Populi Romani beneficio reciperassent. Quo quidem latatus populus Atheniensium, incolæque Deli insulæ, Cæsar's statuam, cum inscripto hujusmodi titulo, dedicârunt.

Ο ΔΗΜΟΣ Ο ΑΘΗΝΑΙΩΝ
ΚΑΙ ΟΙ ΤΗΝΝΗΣΟΝ ΚΑΤΟΙΚΟΥΝΤΕΣ
ΑΤΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡΑΚΑΙΣΑΡΑ
ΘΕΟΤΙΟΤΑΙΟΤΤΙΟΝ
ΑΠΟΔΛΩΝΙΑΡΤΕΜΙΔΙΑΝΤΟΙ.

'Ο δῆμος ἡ Ἀθηναῖων
καὶ οἱ τῶν νέοντος οἰκιστεῖς
Ἀυτοκράτορε Καίσαρε
Θεῖς θελήματα.
Ἄποδλωνι, Ἄγιοιδι, Λατοῦ.

Populus Atheniensium
et qui in insula degunt incolæ
Imperatorem Cæsarem
Divi Iuli Filium.
Apollini, Diana, Latona.

Exitit olim hæc inscriptione in ædibus excellentissimi Francisci Maurosini, D. Marci Procuratoris, Venetiis; ubi anno 1637, unâ cum aliâ Deliacâ non ignobili, excepta est manu doctissimi Joan. Pricæti. Utramque verò humanissime mecum communicavit, qui eas ex Pricætanis, Seldenianis postea saeculis, exscriperat, rev. & eruditus Vir, antea suo merito laudatus, D. Georgius Harbin. Tempus quod attinet inscriptionis, natam fuisse

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fuisse oportet post pugnam Aetiacam quam Consul IV. Cæsar reportavit, & tamen ante ejus Consulatum septimum, quo Augustus appellari coepit. Optimè igitur referetur ad annum U. C. V. 725, quo Consul V. Cæsar ex Asia repetit Italiam; Corinthi verò paullum substitit, &c. ut Strabo auctor est, quædam illuc ad Cyclidas insulas pertinencia ordinavit.

Ita mos suit hisce insularibus Principes viros, aut rerum apud se potitos, aut de insulâ bene meritos, inscripto statuæ titulo honorare. Quo in genere, præter marmora aut Whelero aut Tournesortiano memorata, unum addo Ptolemæi Philadelphi, à Delo ad illustrissimum D. Sherardum Smyrnæ consulem delatum.

ΒΑΣΙΛΕΑΠΤΟΔΕΜΑΙΟΝ
ΠΤΟΔΕΜΑΙΟΥΣΩΤΗΡΟΣ
ΟΙΝΗΣΙΩΤΑΙΑΝΕΘΗΚΑΝ.

Βασιλέα Πτολεμαῖον
Πτολεμαῖος Σωτῆρος
Οινησιώταιανεθηκαν.

Regem Ptolemæum
Ptolemæi Soteris F.
Insulares dedicarunt.

Cæterum, præter hunc in Delo insulâ honorem, aliud etiam Athenienses, idque mediis in Athenis, Romæ & Cæsari, Augusto jam vocato, habuerunt, structo templo, quod Minervæ Archegetidi dedicarunt. Templi faciem nobis depinxere & Spōnus & Whelerus nostras; cum inscriptione ab initio mutilatâ. At hoc modo forsitan incepit: Εἰς τιμὴν καὶ σωτηρίαν τε . Ρωμαῖων

πολεως ΚΑΙΑΤΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡΟΣ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ ΘΕΟΥ ΟΥΙΟΥ ΤΣΕΒΑΣΤΟΥ
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.... καὶ Αυτοκράτορος Καίσαρος Θεοῦ γῆ Σεΐα-
σσε Ἀθηνᾶς Ἀρχηγίτιδος. Στρατηγῶντος δὲ τοῦ τοῦ οὐ πλίτας Εὐκλέης Μαραθωνίς τοῦ καὶ Διοδήκανούς
τοῦ επιμέλειαν ἔσπειρε τῷ πατέρος Ἡρόδου, τῷ καὶ πρεσβέτερον τοῦ ἀρχοντος οὗτοῦ Ἀρχοντος Νικίου τοῦ Σαρα-
πίωνος Ἀθμονέως.

In honorem, & perpetuam conservationem Urbis Romæ, & Imperatoris Cæsaris Divi F. Augusti, Minervæ Archegetidi. Prætore armigerorum Eucle Marabonio, qui & curam templi siccipit pro parte ipsius Herode, quique legationem obivit, sub Archonte Niciā Sarapionis F. Athmonenji.

Hoc modo, ad palpandum Augustum Cæsarem, Athenienses Minervam suam induxerunt Archegetidem; quasi apud Aetium viæ se & prælii ducem prebuisset. Et profectò tale quid vulgo tum creditum fuisse probabile facit versus Virgilianus, Æn. viii, 698, ubi dicuntur tela tenuisse,

Omnigenumque Deum monstra, & latrator Anubis,
Contra Neptunum, & Venerem, contraque Minervam.

Neque ulteriùs jam querendum, cur Cæsar ex Asia ad triumphum Aetiacum redux, Minervam præcipue in honore habuerit, dedicatâ in ejus templo prædiâ Ægyptiacâ, & structo, ut vidimus, Chalcidico. vide notam ad Tab. 4. v. 1. 2. pag. 193.

Ibid. v. 34, 35. Siciliam & Sardiniam occupatas bello servili reciperavi. Is fuit exitus belli Siculi sive, ut alii loquuti sunt, belli contra S. Pompeium. At præter unum Augustum nemo, ut opinor, id bellum servilis nomine infamavit. Sic autem ille, tum hoc loco, tum superiùs versiculo hujus tabulæ primo: scilicet, ut speciosum aliquid iis opponeretur, qui aiebant Pompeium imagine pacis, Lepidum specie amicitiae deceptos. vid. Taciti Annal. I. 1. c. 10.

Ibid. v. 35. Colonias in Africâ, Siciliâ, Macedoniâ, utrâque Hispaniâ, in Galliâ Comitatâ & Galliâ Narbonensi, præter præsidia militum, deduxi. Italia autem colonias quæ vivo me celeberrimæ & frequentissimæ fuerunt xxix deduxit habet. Colonias intelligit utriusque generis; & civium scilicet & militum; de quibus egregia sunt quæ habent Sigilli.

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nus in libris de antiquitate jure Italiae & provinciarum, & Norisius in Cen. Pis. pagg. 22, &c. Præsidia militum quod attinet, iis aliquando colonias imbecilliores auxit; aliquando eadem per stationes & custodias circa imperii limites disposuit. *Libertino militite* (inquit Suetonius cap. 25.) *bis usus est: semel ad præsidium coloniarum Illyricum contingentem; iterum ad tutelam ripæ Rheni fluminis.* Erant hæc præsidia militum in Galliis præcipue necessaria: quarum *Comatani* idem prodidit Suetonius & barbarorum incurSIONibus, & principum discordia inquietam. in Tib. c. 9.

Ibid. *Italia autem colonias xxix deductas habet.* Eo numero, post Gronovium, lacunam hanc explevi, ex Suetonianis cap. 46. *Ad hunc modum urbe urbanisque rebus administratis, Italiam duodetriginta coloniarum numero deductarum ab se frequentavit.* Totidem neque plures per totam Italiam ab Augusto deductas reor: non, ut opinati sunt Sigenius & Casaubonus, plusquam octodecim triumvirali auctoritate, deinde, cum solus principatum gereret, alias octo & viginti. Minime enim id vult Suetonius, duodetriginta Augustum deduxisse post urbanas res administratas; sed totidem à se deductas tum demun frequentasse. Et ita quidem frequentationem, annis 747, 748, 750, 751, 752 factam, ipse superius tradidit Tab. 3. v. 28, &c. veteranis post emerita stipendia, non in novas tum colonias, sed in sua municipia reductis.

Ibid. v. 39. *Signa militaria complura per nostros duces amissa deviatis [legionibus] recepi ex Hispaniâ, & gentibus Delmateis.* Devictis intelligo legionibus, quarum amissa erant signa: quanquam pro rō deviatis legionibus, melius fortasse reponendum deviatis iis provinciis; Hispaniâ scilicet & Dalmatiâ, ex quibus signa sunt recepta. Neque mirum si, deviatis tandem ab Augusto Hispaniis, signa tum complura repeterentur: quippe in queis, per annos ducentos, (ut inquit Velleius l. 2. cap. 90.) multo mutuoque ita certatum est sanguine, ut amissis Populi Romani imperatoribus exercitusque, sœpe contumelia, etiam nonnunquam periculum Romano inferretur imperio. De Gentibus Delmatiis jam antea ad Tab. 1. v. 21. notatum est ex Appiano, signa eas Cæsari reddidisse quæ pridem ademerant Gabinio. Hæc recepit Cæsar anno qui secundo ejus consulatu insignitus est, U.C.V. 721, & appendit in portico que Octavia, ut inquit Appianus, ab ejus sorore dicitur. His nunc addatur ex Dione l. 49, pag. 417. *Dalmatae* hoc tempore penitus sunt subacti, unde ex eorum manib[us] porticus Cæsar & bibliothecas, Octavianas ab ejus sorore appellatas, struxit. At de portico Octavia obiter hic notetur, de novo eam Cæsarem fecisse, ut testatus est Tab. 4. v. 3. passumque fuisse appellari, ex nomine ejus qui priorem in eodem solo fecerat, Octaviam. Roma igitur non extitit, aut Dionis aut Appiani tempore, unde veriora dignosci poterant, Augusteus Index.

Ibid. Tab. 5. v. 40, &c. *Partbos trium exercituum spolia & signa restituere mibi, supplicesque amicitiam populi Romani petere coegi.* Trium dicit exercituum, cum duos tantummodo, Crassi scilicet & Antonii, passini indicent Historici. Suetonius cap. 21. *Partbi Armeniam vindicanti* (anno 734. ut superius notavimus) facile cesserunt: & signa militaria quæ M. Crasso & M. Antonio ademerant, reposcenti reddiderunt. Justinus lib. 42. cap. ult. *Totâ Partbi captivi ex Crassiano seu Antonii exercitu recollecti, signaque militaria Augusto remissa.* Velleius lib. 2. c. 91. *A rege Parthorum signa Romana, quæ Crasso oppresso Orades, quæ Antonio pulso filius ejus Pbraates ceperat, Augusto remissa sunt.* At duplex fuit clades Antoniana secundum eundem Velleium cap. 82. Quippe Antonius, inquit, cum tredecim legionibus . . . Partbos petens, habuit regem eorum obvium, primoque duas legiones cum omnibus impedimentis, tormentisque & Statiano legato amisit. Mox sœpius ipse, cum summo totius exercitus discrimine, ea adiit pericula, quibus servari se posse desperaverat: amissâ non iunis quartâ parte militum, . . . calonum, servitii; impedimentorum vix illa superfuit. Trium igitur exercituum spolia & signa intelligit Augustus; M. Crassi, Statiani legati Antoniani, & ipsius insuper Annonii. Hoc vide in nummis quibus, nunc intra coronam querream, nunc circa arcum triumphalem est inscriptum, CIVIB. ET. SIGN. MILIT. A. PARTHIS. RESTIT. Quod vero addidit Augustus, supplicesque amicitiam populi Romani petere coegi, id etiam in nummo recognoscere; ubi, praeter inscriptionem SIGN. RECEPT. Parthus genibus minor, ut inquit Horatius, & suppliicer vexillum porrigena, jus & imperium Augusti accipit. Ibid.

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Ibid. v. 42. *Ea autem signa in penetrati quod est in templo Martis Ultoris reposui.* Ita hæc pleno integroque pede currunt: quanquam antecelerit in MSS. exemplaribus hujusmodi lacunula, COEGI.... EA... que fortè sic impleri debuit: *Postea autem signa, &c.* Et tamen Templum hic intelligi videtur, quod anno eodem quo recepta sunt signa Parthica, hoc est U. C. V. 734, Marti tunc Ultori, in Capitolio excitavit: de quo Dio à Gronovio jam adductus, lib. 54, pag. 526. Alterum enim Martis eodem nomine Ultoris templum, diu ex voto debitum, nonnisi annis posthac octodecim, U. C. V. 752, in foro Augusto fecit: ut ad Tab. 4. v. 21. ex Velleio, & ex syllabo ante Dionis lib. 55, jam ante observatum. Duo igitur data sunt ab Augusto Marti Ultori templa, quorum quod in foro Augusto fuit versibus superius adductis cecinit Ovidius: statim etiam & alterius occasionem hoc modo subjiciens, Fast. V. 579.

*Nec satis est meruisse semel cognomina Marti:
Persequitur Parthæ signa retenta manu.
Parthe, refers Aquilas, viulos quoque porrigit arcus.
Pignora jam nostri nulla pudoris habes.
Rite Deo templumque datum, nomenque bis Ultor.*

Idem credibile faciunt nummi diversâ facie conspicui, quos, inter eruditè ad Suetonium observata, dedere Torrentius & Patinus. Horum unus MAR. VLT. inscriptus templum habet hexastylum cum aquila inter duo signa militaria. Alter MARTIS VLTORIS tetrastylum, cum figurâ Martis; sinistrâ signum, dextrâ aquilam tenuentis.

Ibid. v. 44, &c. *Pannoniorum gentes, quas ante me principem Populi Romani exercitus nunquam addi, devictas per Ti. Cæsarem, qui tum præcerat exercitibus, imperio populi Romani subjeci.* Perperam in his editum à Gronovio est, per Tiberium Neronem qui tum erat privignus meus. Tiberius enim jam adoptatus ab Augusto nec Nero, nec privigenus, nec gener, sed Cæsar Augusti F. audiebat. Lego præterea, id quod reserat, per Ti. Cæsarem qui tum præcerat exercitibus. Quippe detrectaverat jam senior Augustus bella per se gerere. Itaque anno U. C. V. 760. cùm universa Pannonia (ut habet Velleius l. 2.) *insolens longæ pacis, & adultâ viribus Dalmatiâ, omnibus trallus ejus gentibus in societatem adductis, ex constituto arma corripuisset;* ut præsidium militum, res publica ab Augusto tum in bellum poscoit Tiberium: eo nomine ut Ausonium ducem ab Ovidio celebratum. *In sequente æstate* (ut ait Velleius, utque hæc inter res suas gestas gloriatus est Augustus) *omnis Pannonia, reliquiis totius belli in Dalmatiâ manentibus, pacem petuit.* Inde confecto alterâ æstate Pannonicæ Dalmaticoque bello, quod, omnium externorum post Punica gravissimum, triennio Tiberius gessit; tanta Romæ oborta est lætitia, ut præter triumphum Tiberio decretum, arcus duo triumphales in Pannoniâ erigerentur. Eorumque unum scabrum certè hodie & deformem, at integrâ adhuc fornice constantem, in agro Carnuntino, nunc S. Petronellæ dicto, Anno Dom. 1702, testis oculatus vidi. Anno codem, in Cimeliarchio Cæsareo Vindobonensi, nec semel, nec sine summâ voluptate tractare mihi contigit achatem gemmam, circiter sex pollices longam, quinque latam, opere incertum an materia elegantiorem, in quâ solennis hæc Augusti & Romæ urbis lætitia, ob devictas per Tiberium Pannoniorum gentes, mirâ arte ac ingenio cœlata nitet. Eam, Lector, in æs incisam, & per Albertum Rubenium explicatam vide, in singulari dissertatione anno 1654 scriptâ, quam etiam inter antiq. Romanas, Tom. XI. iteravit Cl. Grævius. Eandem habent Lambecius, lib. 2. Comment. pag. 1000. & Nesselius in appendice ad Catalogum pag. 179.

Ibid. v. 46. *Protulique fines imperii ad Istri fluminis ripam.* Post victoriam hanc Pannonicam Augustus Romani imperii limitem ripam Istricam haberi voluit; ex moderatione quâdam animi id professus, ut sub ejus personâ tradidit in Cæsaribus Julianus. οὐ τοῖς ἀμύροις θηθυμίας εἴκων, θηκλάδες πάντας αὐτῷ διενόσιων, ἔχεια ἢ διῆλα, ωραὶ τὸ φύσεως θυθεδεμάτων, ἵστην καὶ ἐνθεργίων πολλαπλές θήματα. i. e. Non enim immoderatâ ducas cupiditate, omnia Romano Imperio adjicienda animo præcepi, sed duos ejus limites, tan-

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quam à naturā positos, flumina Istrum & Euphratem statui. Eundem Imperii Romani lūtem bis indigitavit Strabo; ad calcem nempe libri 6. & 17. Atque inde est, quod ripam Danubii, ut testatur Tacitus, legionum duæ in Pannoniā, duæ in Mæsiā attinerent. Carnunti vero, ubi arcus extat triumphalis, habita sunt Pannonica hyberna. Plin. iv. 12.

Ibid. v. 50. Ad me ex India. Ad Augustum ex India venerunt legationes duæ memorabiles: una anno 729, cùm Tarracone in Hispaniā ageret; altera cùm hyemaret Sami, anno 734. de priore sic Pseudo-Messala Corvinus cap. ult. Indi ex ipso extremo Oriente postrem ad te, glorioſiſime principum, in extremo Occidente tum bella gerentem, legationem misere, ad obsequia se paratos profitentes. Posteriore legatione multi sunt à Porto rege cum literis muneribusque missi, quorum aliqui in itinere sunt mortui; unus verò, post obitam legationem, Athenis se cremavit, auxitque nobis numerum inscriptionum, epitaphio ſic inſculpto,

**ΖΑΡΜΑΝΟΣ. ΧΗΓΑΝ. ΙΝΔΟΣ. ΑΠΟ. ΒΑΡΓΟΣΗΣ. ΚΑΤΑ. ΤΑ.
ΠΑΤΡΙΑ. ΙΝΔΩΝ. ΕΘΗ. ΕΑΥΤΟΝ. ΑΠΟΘΑΝΑΤΙΣΑΣ. ΚΕΙΤΑΙ.**

i. e. *Hic ſitus eſt Zarmanus Chegan, Indus à Bargofa, qui ſecundum patria Indorum inſtituta, mortalitate ſeipſum exiuit. vide Strab. lib. 15. Dion. l. 53. pag. 527. Praeter hanc Indican, alias Dio legationes Samum tum miſtas ait, quas quidem, ex hoc mutilato Indicis Auguſtei loco, credibile eſt fuſſe Baſtarnarum, Sarmatarum, Colkorum, Iliberorum.*

Ibid. v. 54. Ad me ſupplices conſugerunt reges: Partborum Tiridates regis Phratis . . . De Tiridate obiter Horatius, quid Tiridatē terreat unīcē — Securus. Is nimirum (ut habet Justinus lib. 42. cap. 5.) cum Phraate de regno certans, ad Cæſarem in Hispaniam territus proſugit, obſidem Cæſari minimūm filium Phraatis ferens, quem negligentiū custoditum rapuerat. Hinc lacunæ ſic forſitan implendæ; TIRIDATES. obſidem ferens REGIS. PHRATIS. filium. Sequitur MEDORVM. ARTA . . . i. e. ut credo, Artabanus: cætera autem exciderunt regum extenorū nomina, interque eos regis alicujus Britannorum.

Tab. 6. v. 3. Rex Partborum Phraates, Orodis filius, ſilios ſuos nepotesque miſit in Italiam . . . amicitiam noſtram per bac ſuorum pignora petens. His ita consonant Strabonis verba, lib. 6. ut haud aliud videantur, quām Græca ex Latinis Auguſti faſta. Πάδας Φηιδοτε φεγάτης τῷ Σιέσσῳ Καισαρὶ παῖδας, ἔξουηθεσθεὶς Θεοχαρᾶς φιλίαν. Idem, lib. 16. quatuor numero nominavit Phraatis filios, Romæ regaliter habitos; Σαραπάδης, Κεροπάδης, Φεγάνης, Βούλης. Ita ſciliſet, in corruptis optimi auctoris exemplaribus, literis aut omiſſis, aut mutatis, aut tranſpoſitis leguntur. At duo posteriores relliūs Historicis vocantur Phraates & Vonones: Priores duo in inscriptione Gruterianā, p. cclxxxviii. Saraspadanes & Rhodaspes.

**SARASPADANES. PHRAATIS
ARSACIS. REGVM. REGIS. F.
PARTHVS.**

**RHODASPES. PHRAATIS
ARSACIS. REGVM. REGIS. F.
PARTHVS.**

Ibid. v. 9, 8ec. A me gentes Partborum & Medorum petierunt per principes earum gentium, regesque per eos acceperunt, Partbi Vononem regis Phraatis filium, regis Orodis nepotem, Medi Artabanum, &c. De Medis unus haec, quem novi, Auguſtus: At Partborum petiūm Romā acceptumque regem, Tacitus Annal. 2. c. 1. paribus ferè verbis prodidit. Is ſuit Vonones, inquit, obſes Auguſto datus à Phraate. Nam Phraates cuncta venerantia officia ad Auguſtum verterat, partemque prolis firmandæ amicitiæ miſerat. Poſt finem Phraatis, & ſequentium regum, ob internas cœdes, venere in urbem legati à primoribus Partbis, qui Vononem vetuſiſimum liberorum ejus accirent. Magnificum id ſibi creditit Cæſar, auxitque opibus.

Ibid.

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Ibid. v. 13, 14, 15. In consulatu sexto & septimo, [postquam belli civilis odia] extinxeram, per consensum universorum [Romanorum ci]vium, Rem publicam ex mea potestate in Senatus [& populi Romani] arbitrium translati. Conspicta temporis historiâ, nihil his supplementis probabilius. Nam Consul V. Cæsar finem bellis civilibus, anno altero & vicesimo, imposuit. Consul VI. nata ex iis odia & inimicitias, quadam quasi epurasiæ, extingui voluit. Hoc animo repertas in Antonii scriniis epistolas combusserat; tandemque Kalendis Januariis, quo die Consul & VI. & VII. fuit, omnia belli civilis tempore minus recte constituta abolevit, terminum eis imponens sextum suum consulatum. Dio lib. 53. pag. 497. Demum, Idibus ejusdem mensis, Consul VII. orationem habuit in Senatu de reddendâ republicâ: sincerè an simulatè dubitatum. Exitus rei fuit specie quidem tradita res publica, at re verâ firmius in decennium recepta. Interim partitus est cum populo provincias, eâ formâ quam tradidere gravissimi scriptores, Strabo in fine Operis Geographici, & Dio lib. 53. Cautè autem audiendus de hâc re Ovidius poeta, qui ad Idus Januarias cecinit; Redditaque est omnis populo provincia nostra.

Ibid. v. 16. Quo pro merito meo Senatus me appellavit AVGSTVM, & laureis postes ædium mearum vinxit. Dio lib. 53. p. 507. Multa Cæsari delata sunt, quum de ejurandâ monarchiâ, & partiendis provinciis, peroravit. Quippe decretum est ut palatio ejus lauri præponerentur, &c. Postquam autem re ipsa id perfecit, tum quidem à Senatu populoque Augustus appellatus est. Tempus delati nominis præcisè notat Censorinus, cap. 21. Ex ante diem decimum sextum Kal. Februarii Imperator Cæsar D. F. sententiâ L. Munatii Planci à Senatu, cæterisque civibus, Augustus appellatus est, se VII. & M. Vipsanio Agrif-ja III. Coss. Ratio nominis tradita ab Ovidio: sancta vocant Augusta patres: itidem à Dione: AVGSTVS, quasi esset quid homine amplius, cognominatus est. Σεβαστὸς vertèbre Græci, &, tanquam id parum fuisse, plerumque addidere θεὸν. Inde vivus etiam per provincias templis & effigie numinum per flamines & sacerdotes coli coepimus. Urbium non paucæ suam ei curiam Latinæ dedicârunt, Græce βελτήσαν. unde locus aut Augsteum, aut Σεβαστὸν dictus, Ipse vero Σεβαστὸς Καίσαρ βελτήσαν.

Ibid. v. 24 tertium decimum consulatus senatus & equester ordo, populusque Romanus universus memoriae, idque in vestibulo ædium mearum inscribendum & in foro, &c. Ultimus Augusto fuit tertius decimus ille consulatus. insulte enim legitur in syllabo ante Dionis librum 55. r. Καίσαρ Ἀυγύστος οὐδὲν, pro Γ. Καίσαρ Ἀυγύστου γ'. i. e. C. Cæsar Augusti F. Cum vero, auctore Tacito, celebraretur is numerus consulatum, quo Valerium Corvinum & C. Marium simul aquaverat; hoc est XIII; id ipsum videtur fuisse cuius hic meminit Augustus. Adèò ut deplorata prima facie periodus, hoc modo aptè fatis, & rotundè legenda veniat. [Iusserunt à me] tertium decimum consulatus [magistratum] senatus, & equester erdo, populusque Romanus universus, [prodiderunt] memoriae; idque in vestibulo ædium mearum inscribendum [jusserunt,] & in foro Augusto, [sub] quadrigas quæ mibi ex S. C. posita sunt.

Ibid. v. 27, 28. Scripti hæc cum annum agerem septuagenf [imum sextum.] Ita certissime supplendunt; quia scriptis hæc post conditum lustrum tertium, Coss. quos dixit (Tab. 2. v. 9.) Sex Pompeio & Sex. Appuleio; obiit vero iisdem adhuc Consulibus, XIV. Kal. Septembbris, septuagimo & sexto etatis anno, inquit Suetonius, diebus quinque & triginta viii. Totidem enim tum restabant ad IX. Kal. Octobris natalem Augusti diem.

Sed ecce! clauditur hâc periodo elegantissimus Augsteus index. Scripti hæc, inquit, cum annum agerem septuagimum sextum: eo planè genere loquendi, quo finis operi imponitur. Ergo qui sequuntur imperfecti tredecim versiculi mutatâ personâ sic procedunt: Opera fecit nova, ædem Matris Magnæ, &c. Resecit Capitolium, &c. ubi recapitulantur ea quæ, initio Tabulae quartæ, ipse scriperat Augustus. Notatur etiam, initio hujus additamenti, aliquid de summa pecunia quam dedit militibus, ipsoque in fine, de datâ pecunia equitibus senatoribusque quorum census complevit. Hâc de re Suetonius cap. 41. Senatorium censum ampliavit, ac pro ollingentorum milium summa duo-

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decies HS. taxavit, supplevitque non habentibus. Dio verò, lib. 55. mutilo, τῇ βαλβίνῃ
Ἄρτι . . . τῆς πλεονότεροι τέλη τῶν πεντακοσίων, ὥρον πεντακοσία μεταξύ
δεκατετράς (i. e. computatione Latinâ duodecies HS.) τῷ ιππήνῃ. Conspirant itaque optimi
Historici de expleto quorundam senatorum censu: quâ de re, tanquam sibi invicem
pugnâssent, aut Dionem turpiter falsum, aut mutandam Suetonii lectionem, temerariò
Lipsius censebat. vide Suetonium Grævii, pagg. 187, 188. Neque parum ibi lapsus
est, qui nihil unquam temerè mutavit, criticorum humanissimus Casaubonus.

Hoc modo, antequam è theatro vitæ excederet, plausum sibi omnium sæculorum
captavit Augustus Cæsar; relictâ sui imagine verâ quidem, sed artificiosâ, in qua næ-
vi ejus quâm plurimi sub umbrâ, & siqua etiam deformia fuerunt, penitus sub velo
latent. Julianus ille Imperator, in exquisitâ de Cæsaribus satirâ, liberius eum de-
pinxit, Chamæleonum more varium, modò hos modò alios colores assumentem;
fassus tamen, id quod res erat, si quedam ejus virtutia excoquerentur, aurum purum pu-
tum apparitum. At si quis eum attentiùs consideraverit, partim ab seipso, partim à
Suetonio, & Dione traditum, mirabitur profectò sapientissimi Verulamii nostratis peni-
cillum, quo, arètata in breve tabulâ, concinnè nobis Augustum, sed & plenè, deli-
neatum dedit. *Hic, inquit, sobrius & mortalitatis memor, etiam fines suos ordine admi-
rabilis descriptos & libratos habuisse visus est.* Primum enim, Rerum potiri volebat; deinde
id assequi ut dignus eo fastigio existinaretur. Dein etiam frui summâ fortunâ humanum esse
ducebat. Ad extreum addere se rebus, & imaginem & virtutem sui principatus feculsi
post se futuris imprimere & inferre meditabatur. Itaque primâ cratæ Potentie, mediâ
Dignitati, vergente Voluptatibus, senectute Memoriae & Posteritati serviebat. vid. Verulamij
Imag. Aug. Cæs.

Absolvi, amice Lector, in monumentum Ancyranum, & res gestas Augusti Cæsa-
ris hunc qualecumque commentarium. Quem si ex paginis tot congestis æstimes,
verendum est ne nimiae prolixitatis arguas. Ast si rerum in eo copiam spectaveris, hi-
storiis & inscriptionibus illustratam, brevitatem ejus serìò laudabis. Extremum autem
es monendus, dubium me hæsisse, in loco uno atque altero insigniori, inter diversas
quæ occurrabant hiantis ibi lapidis lectiones, & supplementa. Cùmque in ipsâ tabu-
lâ non nisi una earum locum habere poterat, alteram tibi hic propono.

Tab. secunda, vers. 13, 14.

AVITARVM . RERVVM . EXEMPLA . IMITANDA . ad exercituum
et provinciarum rectores, et magistratus. ET . SACERDOTES . misi

Tab. eadem, vers. 42, 43.

. CVM . post Romanam conditam Janum Quirinum BIS . OMNINO . CLAVSVN ante me
fuiſſE . PRODATVR . memoriae . TER . ME . PRINCIPALE . CLAVDENDVM . ESSE . decreuit Senatus.

Tab. quinta, vers. 11, 12.

YM . ALBIS . FLVMINIS . ei at Ilyrum flumen a regione . EA . QVAE . PROXIMA . EST . HA-
DRIANO . MARI . ad obsequium redigi A . GADIBVS . AD . OSTI-

Tab. eadem, vers. 32, 33.

PROVINCIAS . OMNIS . QVAE . TRANS . HADRIANVM . MARE . VERGVNT . et Ponticas, Asia-
NASQVE . IAM . EX . MAGNA . PARTE . REGIBVS . EAS . POSSIDENTIBVS . & Siciliam, et
GARDINIAM . CCCVPATAS . BELLO . SERVILI . RECIPERAVIT

Tab. eadem, vers. 39, 40.

SIGNA . MILITARIA . COMPLVRA . per nostros duces . AMISSA . DEVICTIS . iis provinciis recepi
EX . HISPANIA . ET . GENTIBUS Delmateis

Tab. sexta, vers. 13.

IN . CONSVLATV . EXSTO . ET . SEPTIMO . postquam bellorum civilium odia . EXTINXERAM.
Tandem

AD MON. ANCYRANUM NOTAE. 207

Tandem autem quid dicendum ad luculentum illud Augustei hujus Indicis additamentum? Quisquamne est tam cæcæ aut tam alienatæ mentis scepticus, ut cæteræ omnia abjudicet Augusto, ob paucos hos versiculos ab aliâ manu profectos, idque Tiburii ejus successoris aut jussu sanè, aut consensu? Minimè credo gentium. Ergo de-sinant nugari, & Pentateuchum ipsi Moysi, Judæorum gentis ductori, abjudicare, quia pauca, de ejus obitu & sepulturâ, scribente forsitan, saltem probante ejus successore Josuâ, in fine sanctissimi libri adhibentur.

Historiæ hujus Augustæ Corollarium esto TEMPLUM AUGUSTI MYLASENSE,
cum inciso in ejus Epistylum titulo, post A. U. C. V. DCCXL.



Ο δῆμος Ἀυτοκράτορει Καίσαρι Θεῖς ιψῷ Populus Imperatori Cæsari Divi F. Au-
γούστῳ Σεβαστῷ Αρχιερέι μεγίστῳ θεῷ Πάμη. gusto Pontifici Maximo & Deæ Romæ.

ANTIQUITATUM ASIATICARUM Christianam æram antecedentium

F I N I S.

Errata vocum, literarum, aut accentuum correcta sic legantur.

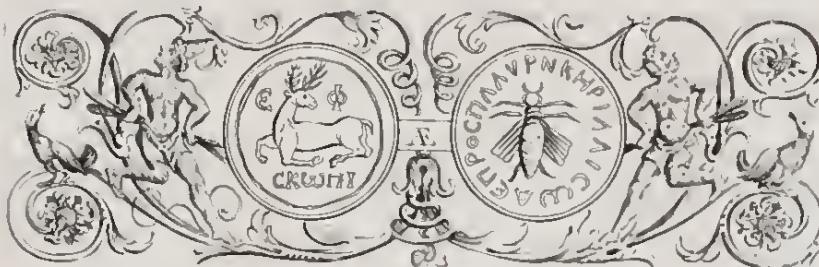
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stertios.* v. lib 44. p. 258. Hoc autem nimis amplum Dio dum extenuate volunt, *trecenos Graecē reddidit* *τρικάσκετα.*

Dum necessarii parantur indices, unque cum iis lexicon Alphabeticum, tum huic quod præcessit operi, tum alteri quod sequitur inserviturum; patiare, Benigne Lector, ut locum eorum occupent, & ab interitu in hoc angulo serventur, duo quæ antea calamo orientante dedimus. Sunt enim Antiquitates, quanquam diverso longè genere, Asiaticæ. Conjectanea intelligo, De NUMMO CKWNI inscripto, & ITER ASIAE POETICUM.

Ad Egregium Virum

NICOLAUM FRANCISCUM HAYM, cum THESAURUM ederet BRITANNICUM A.D. 1720.

De nummo CKWNI inscripto DISSERTATIO, nunc correctior.



HABES, Vir egregie, has meas conjecturas, non inanes spero, nec suo ponde-re carentes, de nummo isto planè singulari, quem ipse olim accuratissimus Bel-lorius, sed nec explicatum, nec benè lectum proculit. Tu verò nunc longè sinceriores, atque omnibus suis apicibus conspicuum, è Celsissimi Devonie Ducis thesauro de-promisti. Mirè perstrinxit oculos nova illa & insolita Inscriptio; neque aliud mihi in mentem primo aspectu revocavit, quam 'Εγέια quæ vocantur Ῥεγίματα; hoc est enormes illas, absonas & ignotas voces, Suidæ, Hesychioque memoratas, quas Incantamenti loco, nonnulli secum Ephesi circumtulisse dicebantur. At utramque nummi faciem attentiore curâ perpendenti, paulatim mihi visum est aperiri reconditum hoc, quod sequitur, Antiquitatis eruditæ specimen.

I. Adversa Nummi facies arcam videtur exhibere, inscriptam literis Ε φ, & circulari quādam lineā undiquaque terminatam. Huic inscritit Cervus capitis sui atque colli circumductione notabilis; cui CKWNI vocula, aut vocula certe pars subjicitur. Hanc ego aream, literulis Ε φ notatam, theatri Ephesini Orchestram esse arbitror; hoc est locum in theatro saltationibus destinatum, proprio suo sciammate sive lineā circumseptum. Cervus agillimum animalium, notum alias Ephesiorum symbolum, sic appositiæ saltatorum eximiam agilitatem denotat. At singularis ista Colli circumductio, cum adiectâ vocis CKWNI inscriptione, tantum non clarè eloquitur satyricam quandam saltationis speciem, non Ephesi solùm, sed & totâ passim Ioniâ celebratam. Nomen indidit saltationi Avis saltatrix Σκωψ; quæ Aristoteli inter edulia, & delicias admodum laudata, nostratisbus, nì fallor, Dotterellus, Willughbeio Merlinellus audit. Motus ejus satyricos, non addito Latino nomine, Plinius dubitanter attigit; aliisque capi avem tradi-

radidere, ab aucupe istos motus non inscitè imitante. *Athenaeus de Oto*, ave columbæ magnitudine, illud referens, subdit statim, η τὸς σκωπας ἐξήστος λέγεται . . . γίνεται οὐχιώς αὐτὸς αὐτῶν καλοῦ σκωψός. i. e. Quin & scopas quoque perhibent saltatione capi. Et quoddam saltationis genus ab iis vocatur scops. lib. 9. cap. 10. Paria his & plura Pollux; apud quem σκῶψός, & variato nomine σκωπίας, sub morphasmio, hoc est saltatione mimicâ, tanquam ei cognata recensetur. οὗτος μορφασμός (inquit) πανθεστάτην ζώου μημεῖον εἶναι. οὐδὲ τι οὐ σκῶψός, οὐδὲ αὐτὸς οὐ σκωπίας, οὐδὲ οὐχιώς έχον τινὰ τὴν τερραχήλια περιεργάζεται, οὐδὲ τὴν οὐρανὸν μημεῖον, οὐδὲ έντελεχεία τινὶ οὐχιών αλισκεῖ. οὗτος οὐχιώς φοβερός οὖν. i. e. Morphasmus saltatio fuit omnium cuiuscunq[ue] generis animalium imitatrix. Fuit etiam in honore scops, seu, quod idem est, scopias, saltationis species, babens certam quandam colli circumgyrationem, avis istius imitatione, quæ attonita saltando capitur. At leonem quod attinet, erat ea horrisce saltationis species. vid. Jul. Poll. lib. 4. cap. 14. & in voce μορφάσματα, cap. 13.

Nec mirum forsitan videbitur, mimicâ istâ saltatione Ephesum hunc nummulum insigniri, reputantibus quæ retulerit Lucianus, de Ionom ingenio in hanc rem perditè propenso. “Bacchica saltatio in Ioniâ præcipue & in Ponto assueta celebrari, satyrica licet fuerit, gentis illius animos ita tamen mancipavit, ut singuli, statâ occasione, exterorum omnium obliti, de die in diem sedeant, spectantes Titanas, Corybantas, Satyros & Bubulos. Saltant haec nobilissimi quique, & cujusque civitatis principes: Nec id ut erubescentes certè; immo eo se nomine longè magis efferentes, quam aut nobilitate ipsâ, aut muneribus publicis, aut dignitatibus majorum. Hæc Lucianus οὐχιώς: ubi per statam occasionem indigitat ille & annua, & quinquennialia certamina, deorūn indigenarū festa, nec non & πανηγύρες sive conventus mercatorios, ad quos populus magnâ frequentiâ è finitimis passim regionibus commeabat. Hinc in lapide honorario, quem ex Asia in Britanniam transtulit, hujus quoque nummuli repertor, doctissimus Guilielmus Sberard, L. L. D. nobiles duas scēminas à Smyrnais celebratas legimus, quod saltationem, & omnia ad Cereris religionem spectantia, & Mysteriorum festum, intentius exhibuerint: ΤΗΝ ΟΡΧΗΣΙΝ ΚΑΙ ΠΑΝΤΑ ΤΑ ΤΕ ΠΕΡΙ ΛΥΣΕΒΕΙΑΝ ΤΗΣ ΘΕΟΤ ΚΑΙ ΤΗΝ ΤΩΝ ΜΥΣΤΩΝ ΕΟΡΤΗΝ ΕΚΤΕΝΩΣ ΠΑΡΑΣΧΟΤΣΑΣ. Jam verò ut Sinyrñei Deæ Cereri, ita Ephesi Dianæ sive frequentissimi saltavere. Atque hanc ob rem tot nudi saltatores symbolicas, quæ adhuc extant, Dianæ Ephesire statuas assabré efficti ambiunt. Tres certè istius numinis marmoreæ figuræ, è totidem Italæ nobilissimis Cimeliothecis, auctore Claudio Menetrio in lucem datae, hunc ipsum clarè exhibent saltatorem scopicum; idque non solum collo isto circumducto, sed (quo σκωπία certius cognoscas) alato quoque humero conspiciendum.

Sederit sortasse majori adhuc oblectamento musivam adire tabulam prope villam Corfiniam in viâ Aureliâ, erutam; atque in eâ ad libitum contemplari saltatores duos colliflexos; quibus bis geminæ hinc inde adstant ipse aves scopes, ad vivum justâ magnitudine depictæ, caudæ & colli flexu mirum in modum gesticulantes. vid. Fig. 18. inter Bartolii Sepulchra Veterum à Bellorio explicatam. Nos ex eâ saltatorem & saltatricem aveni hinc inde cum ipso nummo superius depictam dedimus. Absit enim verbo invidia; tum hancce tabulam, tum symbolicas illas Diana Ephesiae statuas, noster iste nummus longe felicius explicabit.

II. Aversâ nummi facie impressam habemus apem; & cum ape, inscriptionem prorsus singularem; ΚΗΡΙΑ ΔΙΚΩΔΗ ΠΡΟΣ ΠΛΑΥΡΝ. Qui quidem typus nullum in se servat characterem ordinariæ monetæ Ephesiorum: Nullus enim urbis magistratus, nulla in eo Ephesiorum religio conspicitur. Tot etiam quoad literas admissa sphalma-ta privati alicujus artificis inscritam loquuntur, non publici Monetarii curam. Quum enim literatè insculpendum esset ΚΗΡΙΑ ΔΙΚΩΔΗ ΠΡΟΣ ΠΛΕΥΡΑΝ (quod quale sit post-

ea videbimus) pro eo sculptor illiteratus fecit ΚΗΡΙΑ ΔΙΚΩΔΕ πρὸς ΠΑΛΥΡΝ : scilicet ē pro ἡ insculptā, tribusque literis Α, Δ, Λ, uno codeinque duetu p̄tē posterē formatis. Nequeo igitur monetam hie agnoscere auctoritate publicā percussam. Crediderim potius symbolum fuisse, ē Theoricorum genere, Latinē *teſſeram theatrālēm*. Horum uſum p̄ſtabant æra diobolaria, quæ, Gymnasiarchorum jussu, magno numero percuſſa, viritimque populo divisa, locum ſingulis in theatro ad saltationem ſpectandam darent. Unde Luciani iſta in *Timone* phrasis, Άγνιμεν τὸ Επωχακίν, i. e. *distribuere Theoricum*. At *Theoricum* opportune nobis explicarunt & Pollux lib. 8. & Suidas in ΘΕΩΡΙΚΑ. Quorum ille pecuniolæ cujusdam meminit plebi diebus festis distributæ: Ea que ſic data, inquit, *Theoricum* vocata eſt. Hic verò, πὸ παλαιῶν ἔχεις θυρηῖς εἰς Θεάτρους, ηγέτης τὰς θέας προναολαμβάνοντας, διδιδόντο πὼν πολιταῖς πὸ ΘΕΩΡΙΚΟΝ, ὅπερ ἦσαν δύο ὅπερες, ἵνα τέτοια λαμβάνοντες οἱ πολῖται διδῶσιν αὐτὸν τὴν πολιτικὴν τὴν θέαν, i. e. *Olimcum in theatris tumultuatum eſſet, & peregrini ſpectacula p̄tēoccuparent, diſtributum eſt circib⁹ Theoricum, quod nummus erat diobolaris: nempe ut cives hoc accipientes, civitati idem ad ſpectacula redimenda redderent.*

Huic igitur cūm destinata eſſet nummuli nostri ſcopi adversa facies; ne aversa profus vacua & instructuofa relinqueretur, occuparunt eam Gymnasiarchi, qui in ſpectaculis ſoli omnia potuerunt, Pharmaci cujusdam publicatione: Pharmaci dico, quod apud ipſos, aut eorum ſaltem adminiſtratos, balneatores nempe, unguentarios & iatraliptas, propalam in Balneis & Gymnasiis venale proſtitit. Hoe ſuadebit certè duarum inscriptionis partium divifa commode interpretatio: quarum primi ſic apertiū legitur ΚΗΡΙΑ ΔΙΚΩΔΕ, at altera paulo intricateius πρὸς ΠΑΛΥΡΝ.

1. ΚΗΡΙΑ ΔΙΚΩΔΕ (corruptè pro ΚΗΡΙΑ ΔΙΚΩΔΗ) non malè *Favos Bitbymos* interpretabere. Nam Favos quidem hic intelligi ſuadet & perſuadet apes, ingeniosa favorum artifex, in eādeni nummi areā signata. *Favos* verò *Bitbymos*, ſive favos bina thyma redolentes auctores nobis tradiſere *Ariſtoteles Pliniusque*; favos ſciliect colore albos, melli faciendo non omnino aptos, ſed ad medicamina & varios curationum uſus apprimè commendatos. Ita enim de cerâ, de melle, & ſavis agens *Ariſtoteles* (de Hist. Animal. lib. 9. cap. 40. πὸ γλακὺν (κηρίον inquit) εἴκει θύρα τιμελεῖς, ἀγάθοις ἡ περὶ, ἐφαλμέσθη, ἔκκη. Jam locum iſtum ſic expressit *Plinius* (lib. 11. cap. 16.) *Album mel non fit, quod bitbymum eſt, ſed oculis & ulceribus aptissimum exiſtimatur.* Nec hanc ſolum, ſed & alias ſavi bitbymi virtutes ex *Plinio* aliud agentē obiter colligimus. Nam, *duo* (inquit) ſunt genera thymi... utraque oculorum claritati multum conſerve exiſtimantur... item ſi lateralis dolor ſit, aut inter ſcapulas, aut in thorace. lib. 21. cap. 21.

Celebre hoe pharmacum vetuſta diu ſamā & opinione nobilitatum, unā cum ceteris & medicinæ & luxuriae inventis, (unguentis nempe, odoribus, oleis factitiis, & cermate, poſt edita ſpectacula, ab athletis jam ſudantibus deterſo) aut ipſi illi Gymnasiarchi aut eorum certè ministri in Balneis & Gymnasiis venditabant. Illic enim & medicinam eos ſacitatisſe, & mercaturam, ex auctoriſbus abunde conſtat. Hinc *Plinius* (lib. 28. cap. 4.) non ſine indignatione quādam quæſiſorum deprædicat *Gymnasi Graecorum*. Nec immeritò, ſi eidem ſic prius ſcribenti fides. *Uſum ejus* (i. e. olei) ad luxuriam vertere *Græci*, vitorum omnium genitores, in Gymnasiis publicando. *Notum eſt magistratus honoris ejus oelogenis ſeſtertiis ſtrumenta olei vendidiſſe.* lib. 15. cap. 4.

Festo igitur tempore, jamque ad saltationes, ad luctatus, ad pugilatus, & ad alia id genus ſpectacula undique confluente populo, hæc ſua κηρία διεώδη balneator quis, aut unguentarius, aut iatraliptes publicavit: idque arreptā hujus ſymboli ſaltatorii occaſione, quo latior rei notitia per manus, hinc inde, volitaret. Latinas hujusmodi publicationes, utcunq; vulgo non notatas, at revera, mercimonii ergo, à veteribu

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olim factas, nemo est qui recte pernegabit. Tales enim duas, ecræ pulchritè impressas, & à tesseris archetypis longiusculis more quodam Typographicò desumptas, adhuc apud me servò; aliquot abhinc annis, à Domino Lufkins Pharmacopolà Colcestrensi, antiquatum harum studio, humaniter mihi communicatas. Haec igitur ad Colcestriam, Romanam olim coloniam, repertæ, & (quod mirandum subit) in usus etiam iatraliptæ cuiusdam, sive medici Romani, fabresaetæ, dici vix potest, quantum & in re ipsâ, & verborum formulâ, huic nostræ nummulariæ publicationi ad amissim per omnia respondent. Sunt enim hujusmodi

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i. e. *Quinti Jult Murranī Melinūm*, sive ex malis cotoneis oleum, ad claritatem oculorum faciens. Iterumque *Quinti Jult Murranī stagium opobalsamatum*, sive myrræ oleum opobalsamo permixtum, ad cap. i. e. ad caput medicandum utile. Similia his vide apud Sponium, in Miscellaneis eruditæ antiquitatis, pag. 237, 238. ubi *Sabiniani chloron ad clar.* item *C. Cap. Sabiniani nardicum ad impetum, &c.*

2. Sed his tandem adductis, redeat iterum sub oculis inscriptionis illa pars posterior πΡΟΣ ΠΛΑΥΠΝ. Jam enim maturius & securius deveniendum erit ad conjecturam: quæterendumque de vocula προς, post pharmacum sic positâ & expressâ, annon fatis aperte oleat notam medicorum phrasin, quâ hoc aut illud pharmacum ad hunc illumine morbum, curationem, aut partem corporis, bonum atque utile, compendio quodam, commendatur. Sic (ut cognata solummodo exempla adducamus) κηρύξτην hocce Aristotelis προς ὀφθαλμὸς ἡ ἔλαχινη Κηρύκη Hippocratis προς αἰλυρίαν πλάσεων: melinum illud Murranii ad claritatem oculorum; stagium ejusdem opobalsamatum ad caput; & passim illa Plinii pharmaca, ad claritatem, ad argema, ad albugines, ad luxata membra, ad nervos, ad sanguinem, ad tussim, ad lateris doiores: quibus addi poterit integer ille Apuleii, *de virtutibus herbarum*, liber. His positis, in abstruso isto ΠΛΑΥΠΝ clare mihi video deprehendere ΠΛΕΥΠΝ. Cumque duo thymi genera (ut à Plinio jam didicimus) ad lateralem dolorem faciant; neque id solum, sed & ΚΗΡΙΑ quoque ab Hippocrate ad eundem scipiùs commendentur; lego tandem κηρύξτην προς πλάσεων, hoc est (phrasim Murranianam) facibit bymi ad latus: Sive favi bina thyma redolentes, ad lateris dolorem utiles. Artifex enim sculpturam (ut par est credere) magis quam literaturam callens, suum illud A, loco A & Δ ex errore prius usurpatum, hic quoque, loco E, errante effinxit manu. Et tum demum spatio destinatus, A & N literas, in unum (ut sit plerumque) colligatas, eruditorum crucem, & antiquariis offendiculum reliquit.

Finieram; nisi quod aliquid mihi theologicum ex hac ethnica farragine colligendum restet. Est verò loci Tertulliane ad Scapulam, capite quarto, vindicatio. Proculum quendam Christianum ibi memorat Tertullianus, Euodiae Procuratorem, qui Severum, Antonini patrem per oleum aliquando curaverat. Hic verò, extrusa voce Euodiae, Euodi legunt commendatores; & ad Euodium nos nescio quem remittunt, cuius negotia Proculum hunc nostrum procurasse suspicantur. At re ipsa Euodiae procurator erat διώδιας, hoc est odorum, ungueutorum, oleorum, sub Gymnasiarcho aliquo in balneis præfectus. Cumque eales (uti vidimus) constanter iatraliptas agerent; Proculus noster, eo nomine evocatus, oleo peritè administrato, Imperatori saluti suit.

Vale, vir accuratissime, & dum, solerti quo polles ingenio, evanescentia indies monumenta ab interitu revocare pergis; monumentum tibi para inscribendum REPERTIS BRITANNIÆ THESAURIS. Dabam è villa Walthamstœni prope Londonum, Calendis Februariis, A. D. 1720.

ITER ASIAE POETICUM

A. D. 1701.

Ad Reverendum JOANNEM HORN, Scholæ inclytæ WICCAMICÆ
Prope Ventam Belgarum, Hypodidascalum.

DUM tu vimineum dextra moderamine sceptrum
Dirigis, HORNE pater, ludi ter amande magister;
Me pia Musa comes duxit per avita locorum,
Et faciem ostendit, famaque & nomina rerum,
Quæ tu vixturus, nitidæ prope moenia Ventæ,
Concelebras chartis; & carmine Diva retractat
Wiccam, Grajungenum felicia somnia vatum.
Non mora: provehimur pelago, terræque recedunt;
Ac subito attonitos habet undique pontus & æther.
Jamque viam ingredimur, quam sidere servat amico
Puppis, ab occiduis Asiam visura Britannis.
Ergo nona dies aperit mihi claustra profundi,
Et freta, qua quondam, angustâ cervice revinctam,
Africam ab Europa forti dispertiit iectu
Claviger Alcides; tantique insignia facti
Opposuit geminas dextra lœvaque columnas.

Æmulus Alcidi rector Neptunus aquarum
Abscidit Italico Siculum latus; arctaque jussit
Æquora Scyllam inter convolvi avidamque Charybdim.
Hæc mihi visenti, trepidis male pervia nautis,
Scyllæ risere canes; blandâque receptum
Voce salutantum refluas misere per undas.
Nempe loci memores, ubi, te præeunte magistro,
Latrantes scopulos, ipsisque tremenda poetis
Littora cantavi, rabientique fretumque sonoris
Versibus includens, placavi inamabile monstrum.

Hinc rate digressis flamas Trinacia longè
Fundit ab horrificæ tremulis fornacibus Ætnæ.
Succedunt miranda maris; petrosa Cythera,
Et laceri Maleæ scopuli; & circumsata crebris
Æquora Cycladibus. Dumque inter utramque subimus,
Hinc Chion, hinc Lesbon, tandem exoptata recepit
Smyrna sinu. Smyrnæ non certior ulla disertos
Jaëst Nympha lares, & civi superbit Homero.
Credite, Wiccamidæ! nemorosâ in valle legebam
Ingentem Iliada, & resonantis ad antra Meletis
Somnia carpebam, cùm protinus alma verendi
Ante oculos stetit umbra senis, litenique diremit
Urbibus, & dixit, Sacras cave molliter herbas
Lædere, Smyrnæ quondam incunabula vatis.

Surgo, &, grandævum veneratus rite parentem,
Mox peto suppositam Tmoli radicibus urbem.
Hic Gygis, hic Croësi sterit olim regia, Sardis:
Lene fluens ubi prata pater sœcundi propagat
Hermus, & auriferis exit Paëtolus ab antris.

Hos tu flaventes pretioso scmine venas
Præcipitare doces; dulcique errore sequaces
Oblectans puerorum animos, ita credere Musas
Et Phœbum, Aoniumque chorum, per vimina juras
Quæ tibi quadrifido surgunt divisi flagello.

Non procul hinc * Nioben Sipyli sub rupe rigentem
Aspexi, & dixi, lacrymarum, Saxeæ mater,
Defin longarum, finemque impone dolori.
Nam tibi nunc decies septeni fata puelli
Sub Lare Wiccamico redimunt; irasque Dianæ
Solantur; redditumque potenti carmine prolem.

Jamque Ephesum, & curvi ripas juvat ire Caystri.
Quas non ille vias, quos non secat amne retorto
Errabundus agros, cycnoisque exquirit ademptos?
Cycnos astra rogit, cycnos rogit arva: sed illos
Detinet, heu! Thamesis, peregrino in littore, pratis
Cultior irriguis, & fortunatior amnis.

Parce, Dea, abrepto nimia dulcedine rerum:
Parce, Camœna comes! Duce quâ, freta vectus Abydi
Transe, * Musæum meditans, & amabile carmen.
Hæret adhuc animo conspecta Leandria Turris;
Hæret amor, lumenque; hæret super omnia præsens
Fausta dies, quæ me Trojana ad littora primum
Duxit, & attonitum Sigâ in rupe locavit.
Hectoris hic ibant, hic insidiantis Ulyssis
Agmina; Dardanios hic stravit flamma penates.
His Ajax procumbit agris, his fortis Achilles;
Hic stetit irate donum exitiale Minervæ.
Hic loca castrorum numero, pugnasque, fugasque;
Luminibusque vagis campos permetior amens
Iliacos. Tum, siqua fides, venerande magister,
Hi nomen, me vate, tuum, doctosque labores
Senserunt: & Nympha suit mirantis in ore
Wiccamæ. Non illic contendant Pergama Ventæ;
Non Catharinæum superaverit Ida cacumen.
O sacer, O collis, pedibusque obtrite fororum
Clive novem! siquâ tenebrosa oblivia vincas,
Tu Parnassus eris. Pueri properate frequentes,
Æquatisque pium paribus descendite montem:
Et celebrate choros, Phœboque dicate perennem
Wiccamidisque locum. Sic, ô, sic, credere fas est,
Manibus Harrisii placitum, doctoque Chenæo,
Et tibi, Apollinei structor Nicolasi templi,
Quo nunc Wiccamicæ gaudent custode Camœnæ.

HORNE tamen nomen neu quere absensis alumni:
Nec rogita quibus ortus avis, quo sanguine cretus,
Hæc tibi longinus cecini peregrinus in oris.
Namque sagax citharam vatum explorare tuorum,
Perpetuumque memor quid cuiquam fecire dedisti,
Qualem animum, & quantas tribuisti in carmina vires,
Protinus invalidæ noscis conamina musæ:
Docta que stridentem, millenos inter olores,
Millenaisque tubas, auris distinguit avenam.

* VId. Pausan. Attic. l. i. c. xxi.
Ταῦτα τὰ Νιόβην καὶ ἀνῆρες εἰδονταί τε λέπτω
τις τὸν Σιπύλον τὸ δέρμα. Vide etiam
Scholast. in Hom. Νιόβη Ζδές τις
λίθος μετέστηλος, διότι μεχεῖται τοῦ τοῦ Σι-
πύλου τὸ θρυγγίας σφράγας πολλῷ πάντα.
Iliad. v. 602.

* Musæus ï. 23. Σὺ δὲ ἐποίει
καὶ θεοῖς πρεσβύτερος,
Διέτο μει τηνά πάντα —

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De Opere

Partim nunc præstito, partim adhuc promisso,

A D M O N I T I O .

IS omnibus qui, singularis hujus operis promovendi gratiâ, unum aureum Britannicum aut perfolverunt, aut perfolvent, tradetur nunc in manus primum hoc volumen complectens ANTIQUITATES ASIATICAS, Christianam & ram antecedentes. Iisdemque nunc promittitur, conditione alterius aurei, perfecto demum opere, solvendi, alterum illud quod sequitur longè justius volumen, ANTIQUITATES etiam exhibens ASIATICAS ex Inscriptiōibus Grecis, partem longe maximam ineditis, Historicis, Honorariis, Agonisticis, Sepulchralibus, una cum Indicibus necessariis, & Lexico totius operis Alphabetico. Ita integrum prodit opus conditiones hasce accipientibus, non jam tribus, ut propositum fuit, at duabus tantummodo partibus comprehensum ; neque constitutum plus quam binis aureis Britannicis, hoc est, zl. 25. od. Chartā autem regiâ utentes duplum reddere non gravabuntur.



die 29^o Sept. A.D. 1731.

ANTIQUITATES ASIATICAS Pag. 61. a lineâ 21. sic corrige.

His sic ordine prænotatis, periculum feci, tum cùm hæc primùm cederem, an vitiatum à duobus antiquariis epigramma veræ suæ lectioni sensuique & acuminis restitui sortè posset. Et cætera quidem rectè assicutum tamen sefellit me, quinto in versiculo, εῖτα ἐρευνῶ pro ἔιτε ἐρευνᾷ à Whelero non rectè positum. Neque à schedis oculati testis, modò sensum ferrent & constructionem, pro statutâ mihi in his studiis regulâ, unquam ausus sum abscedere. Sed hac æstate spe omni melior fortuna lapidem ipsum, cum plumbo suo uncisque ferreis, & excavato superiùs ad recipiendam statuam foramine, in Museolum meum detulit. Jamque felicius receptus inter præcipua Britanniæ nostræ cimelia loci honorem obtinet. Debet hoc Respublica literaria optimis duobus viris, *Mordaco Mackenzie*, Medico & Philologo egregio, & Reverendo *Thomæ Payne*, Anglorum Constantinopoli negotiantium sacerdoti, doctrina & pietate multisque aliis nominibus commendato. Horum beneficio oculis hodie usurparamus nobilissimam inscriptionem, Alexandro Magno coætaneam, ex ipso Bosporano lapide in æs translatam, servatâ ubique venerandâ antiquâ formâ, & præfixo etiam specimine magnitudinis literarum.

ΟΥΡΙΟΝΕΚΠΡΥΜΝΗΣ

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*ex autographo antiquo lapide, nunc penes prius
tumulifinum virum Ricardum Mead M. D.*

Idem Scriptione hodiernâ.

Οὐετον ἐκ πεύματος τῆς ὁδηγήσεω καλέστω
Ζηνα, καὶ περιόνων ισίους ἐκπέμπασι.
Ἐπί Τῆς Κυανέας δίνας δέρμῳ, ἵνα Ποτειδῶν
Καρπύλον εἰλίσῃ κῦμα τῷδε Φανάθοι,
Ἐπει τέ Αἰγαίν πόντος πλάκα νόσον ἔχειναι,
Νείσθω, τῷδε βαλών Φαιστὰ τῷδε Ξανά.
Ωδὲ τὸν θάντην αἱ θεοί, Ἀντιπάτερε πάν,
Στῆσε Φίλων, ἀγαθῆς σύμβολον ἐνπλοῖς.

Epigrammatis versio Latina.

Urion expansis jam promptus navita velis
Ductorem, ex altâ puppe, vocato Jovem.
Sive ad Cyaneas sit iter, quâ mistus arenis
Neptunus tumidam vortice curvat aquam ;
Seu redditum Ægæi vestigat in æquora Ponti ;
Eja, eat, huic statuæ reddere liba memor.
Hocce Philo, Antipatri proles, optabile numen
* Hic posuit, faustæ symbolon esse viæ.

* Aliter *Sic posuit*: quæ quidem longè est antiquior, & perpetua serè apud Classicos vocis ᾧ significatio. Jovem scilicet *Sic posuit*: hoc est (ut inquit Dionysius Byzantinus) manibus *sic* protensis, facie *sic* serenâ & puerili, adeoque felix iter navigantibus symbolicè promittentem.

Alia pauca lege sic correcta, viz. Pag. 33. lin. 3.

Αμφιτρύων μὲν αἰείνης τεων χωρὶς Τηλεβοάν. inferiùs verò in Notis,
ΑΜΦΙΤΡΥΟΝ: MANETHEKE: NEON: ΑΓΟ ΤΕΛΕΒΟΑΟΝ. i. e.
Amphitryo me Teleboā de gente revertens —— Sacravit.

Hunc versum in Herodoto pessimè semper habitum restituit nuper Aristarchus quidam summè eruditus Cantabrigiensis; idemque alia mecum benignè communicavit: de quibus suo in loco. Ejusdem monitu

p. 99. passim pro Γ κέντε & Γ ἔκεντε lege τὸ κέντε & τὸ ἔκεντε.
p. 141. l. 3. pro τοι ἀλλα τῇ lege τοι ἵξια τῇ, & Latinè pro neque minus lege neque pauca &c.

p. 158. l. 23. pro ἡ ἵ μηδεῖς Θεῖν βελήσει ἐνελεύθερωσιν lege τῇ, ὁ μηδεῖς Θεῖ βελήσειν, τελεύθερωσιν, & Latinè pro Diis sic volentibus, lege quod nemo vellet deorum, &c. Haec duo rectè admodum advertit vir humanissimus idem & doctissimus, Reverendus Thomas Rud, Dunelmensis.

p. 119. l. 2. & 126. l. 31. lege νευφενίᾳ.
p. 201. l. 1. pro pugnam Aetiacam, lege victoriam Aegyptiacam.

ANTIQUITATES ASIATICÆ.

PARS ALTERA,

Diversa Diverfarum URBIUM
Inscripta Marmora complectens.

E P H E S U S



DUO olim clarissima fuere Asia antiquæ lumina, Smyrna & Ephesus; quarum ab unâ incipere debebit, in alterâ verò desinere hoc quod, favente Deo, nunc denuo urgemus opus. A Smyrna igitur ad Ephesum, interjacente totâ fere Ioniâ, iter est horarum tredecim. Sic enim in Asiâ viæ hodie putantur, juxta gressum equorum singulis fere horis tria passuum millia metientium. Haudquaquam verò Ephesi reperta est larga illa quæ sperari poterat inter tantæ urbis reliquias inscriptionum publicarum seges. Quod quanquam quis merito miretur, aliqua tamen rei ratio est apud Heraclitum Physicum, & ipsum natione Ephesium, de Ephesiorum principe Hermodoro, qui à patriâ malè gratâ exul statuam tamen apud Romanos ut legum interpretes meruit. Ἀξιον (ait apud Strabonem lib. 4.) Ἐφεσοις ήηδου ἀπάγξασθαι, οἵτινες Ἐρμόδωρον ἄνδρα ἐῶτῶν ὄντίσον ἔξεξαλον, Φάντες, ημέων μηδεὶς ὄντίσος ἔσω. Εἰ δὲ μή· ἄλλῃ τε καὶ μετ' ἄλλων. hoc est, interprete

prete Cicerone Tuscul. V. *Universos ait Ephesios esse morte multandos, quod cum civitate expellerent Hermotorum, ita locuti sunt: Nemo de nobis unus excellat: si quis exiiterit; (legendum f. excelluerit) alio in loco, & apud alios sit.* Quippe politicâ tam pravâ & tam malignâ infecta civitas nimiam omnino diffugeret suorum collaudationem, & publica in marmoribus testimonia ad virtutis exsuperantiam accendentia. Huic etiam accedit quod literati non pauci lapides abditi hodiè delitescant intra recentiores structuras Ephesinas ex antiquiorum ruinis excitatas. Quas inter longè eminet aquæductus, multis & magnificis fornicibus inædificatum opus, quo fons Haliata, Pausanias in Achaicis memorata, ad castellum & urbem derivata est. Ab ejus enim summitatibus, ubi nonnulla hîc & illîc legenda extant, anno Dom. 1701. quinque ex his paucis Ephesinis scalâ, quam extemporaneam compagimus, adjutus descripsi.

I.

Attalus Priscus Archiater, & rei (quæ nuper confiscata est) Antonianæ curator.

... ΑΛΟΝΑΣΚΑΗΠΕΙΑΔΟΥΠΡΕΙΚΟΝ
ΦΙΛΟΣΕΒΑСΤΟΝΑРХИАТРОНДИАГЕНОУС
НЕОПОИОНМОНОНКАИПРОСТОНТРИТОНВОУ
ЛАСТНСҮНПАТРИКАИАДЕΛФω НЕОПОИ
ОНТωАУТωЕТЕИНЕОПОИНСАНТАСҮН
ТωАДЕЛФωДОНТАСҮНТωАДЕЛФωУПЕР
ЕПІМСЛЕІАСТНСАНТѡНIANHCOУСІАСТРТОУ
ПАТРОСАСКЛНПЕІАДОУМТРІАДАСДУОНМІСТКА
ΘАУПЕСХОНТОӨНТНЕККЛНСІАУПЕРТЕТОУ
ПАТРОСКАІАУТѡНОІКОДЕСПОСҮННСТННТЕІ
МННАСТНСАНТОСОУПАТРОСАСКЛНПЕІАДОУ
ЕПІАРХІСКНПТОУХОУЕРМІППОУ

"Ἄτταλον Ἀσκληπιείδης Πρεῖσκον, Attalum Asclepiadis F. Priscum, devotum Augusto, generis φιλοσέβαστον, αἱχιάλεγν διὰ γένεσις, νεόποιον μόνον ἡ πρῆστον τὸν τείτον, βυθιστὴν σὺν παῖσι ἡ ἀδελφῶ, νεόποιον τῷ ἀντῷ ἔτει, νεόποι-

Attalum Asclepiadis F. Priscum, devotum Augusto, generis titulo Archiatrum, Ædilem sive collegâ & in annum tertium, cum patre & fratre senatorem, eodem anno & Ædilem, qui e-schauit

ησαντα σων των αδελφων, δοντα iam cum fratre AEdilis fuit, dan-
σων των αδελφων οπερε Πημελεί-
ας τον Αντωνιανόν θυσίας οπερε επατεργός Ασκληπιείδης μυειάδας
δύο ήμισυ, καθά οπέρχοντο όν την
έκκλησία οπέρε τε την πατέρος ή
αὐτῶν οικοδεσποσύνης. τών τειμήν
αναστοιχού την πατέρος Ασκλη-
πιείδης ἐπὶ Αρχισκηπίδης Ερ-
μίππου.

Facit hæc rei Antonianæ mentio ut lapidem referam ad tem-
pora quæ profligatum M. Antonium, & Cæsarem AUGUSTUM
appellatum, non longè consecuta sunt. Neque obstat forma litera-
rum ε, Κ, ω. Hanc enim horum temporum finis evincit unus
e multis nummus in Thes. Britannico Haymiano Vol. 2. plagulâ
Imp. Rom. I. ΒΑΣΙΛ. ΘΕΑ. ΝΕΑ. ΑΝΤΩ. ΥΠΑ. Γ.

In his ne fortè nesciatur quid esset Ephesiorum iste Αρχισκηπίδης,
cautum est à diligentissimo Strabone initio lib. 14. Testimonia
verò & notæ tum ad hanc rem tum ad alia hujusmodi spectantes
locum aptius habebunt in Lexico sive commentario Alphabetico:
ne fastidio simus, Lectorem inter has breviores inscriptiones ni-
mis frequenter interpellantes.

Illud autem hic semel est monendum, quod neque in hoc la-
pide, neque in Stratonicensi isto quod Paxtonomi ipsius curâ li-
teratè scriptum edidimus, neque in aliis multis nunc edendis, re-
periatur literula i dativis casibus adjecta. vid. Part. I. pag. 160.
Adeò verè observatum à Strabone est, lib. 14. πολλοὶ χωρὶς τῇ
γράφοσι δοτικὰς, η ἐκεῖλλος τὸ έθος Φυσικὴν αὐτίαν εκ ἔχον. i. e. multi
sine τῷ i dativos scribunt, moremque rejiciunt cuius non est in naturâ
fundamentum. Hoc verò à Romanis, novis Græcorum discipu-
lis, profectum arbitror, quibus ut innuit Quintilianus lib. 1. c. 7.
molesta visa est, quum ad lectionem instruerentur, literæ i adje-
ctio. Certè ex iis fuere qui in suis quoque dativis Latinis illud
i respuerent: nam ut habet Agellius l. 4. c. 16. C. Cæsar gravis
auctor linguae Latine in libris analogicis omnia istiusmodi, puta te-
natu, ornatu, aspectu, &c. sine i literâ dicenda censet.

Fœmina

II.

*Foximae virgines, Diana Ephesiae sacerdotes, & Archisacerdotes,
hoc est, titulo Ephesiorum proprio, Κοσμητεῖαι.*

ΟΥΛΠΙΑΝΕΥΟΔΙΑΝΜΟΥΔΙΑΝΗΝΤΗΝΙΕΡΕΙΑΝ
ΤΗΣΑΡΤΕΜΙΔΟΣΘΥΓΑΤΕΡΑΜΟΥΔΙΑΝΟΥΚΑΙΕΥΟΔΙΑΣ
ΕΚΓΟΝΗΝΣΤΡΑΤΩΝΟΣΚΑΙΔΙΟΝΥΣΙΟΥΓΕΝΟΣΕΧΟΥΣΑΝ
ΑΝΩΘΕΝΙΕΡΕΙΩΝΚΑΙΚΟΣΜΗΤΕΙΡΩΝΑΔΕΑΦΗΝ
ΟΥΑΠΙΑΣ . . . ΣΤΡΑΤ. ΚΟΣΜΗΤΕΙΡΗΣΕΝΤΕΑΗΣΑΣΑΝ
ΤΑΜΥΣΤΗΡΙΑΚΑΙΠΑΝΤΑΑΝΑΛΩΜΑΤΑΠΟΙΗΣΑΣΑΝ
ΔΙΑΤΩΝΓΟΝΕΩΝ

'Ουλπίαν Ἐνοδίαν Μεδιανῶ, τὴν
ιέρειαν τὸ Αεγέριαδθ, Θυγατέρες
Μεδιανῶς καὶ Ἐνοδίας, ἐκγόνια
Στρεψτωνθ, καὶ Διονυσίας, θύνθ
ἔχασταν ἀνωθεν Τερειῶν καὶ Κοσμη-
τειρῶν, αδελφῶν Οὐλπίας . . .
Στρεψτ. κοσμητέιεν, ἐνελίσσασαν
τὰ μυστήρια, καὶ πάντα τὰ ἀνα-
λόγιμα ποιήσασαν διὰ τῶν γο-
νέων.

*Ulpiam Enodiam Medianam sa-
cerdotem Diana, filiam Median-
i, & Enodiae, neptem Stratonis
& Dionysii, genere superius
agnatam sacerdotum & Cosme-
tricum, sororem Ulpiae [Enodiae
Strat. .] Cosmeticis, quod my-
stria peregerit, & omnes impre-
nas fecerit per parentes.*

III.

*Aut statua aut aliis aliquis Hadriani Aug. bonos, proconsule Pedr-
cæo Priscino, quem consulem habent Fasti A. U. C. V. 893.*

ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡΟΣΚΑΙΣΑ
ΡΟΣΤΡΑΙΑΝΟΥΠΑΡ
ΘΙΚΟΥΥΙΟΥΘΕΟΥΝΕΡΟΥΑ
ΤΙΩΝΟΥΤΡΑΙΑΝΟΥΑΔΡΙΑΝΟΥ
ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟΥ
ΗΦΙΑΟΣΕΒΑΣΤΟΣ
ΕΦΕΣΙΩΝΒΟΥΛΗΚΑΙΟΝΕΩ
ΚΟΡΟΣΔΗΜΟΣΚΑΘΙΕΡΩΣΑΝ
ΕΠΙΑΝΘΥΠΑΤΟΥΠΕΔΟΥΚΑΙ
ΟΥΠΡΕΙΣΚΕΙΝΟΥΥΗΦΙΣΑ
ΜΕΝΟΥΤΙΒ. ΚΛ. ΙΤΑΛΙΚΟΥ
ΤΟΥ ΓΡΑΜΜΑΤΕΩΣΤΟΥΔΗ
ΜΟΥΕΡΓΕΠΙΣΤΗΣΑΝΤΟΣ
ΤΙΒ. ΚΛ. ΠΕΙΣΩΝΕΙΝΟΥ.

Αὐλοχρότορες Καίσαρες Τεμανῶ
Παρθικῆ μὲν, Θεᾶς Νερά μωρῆ,
Τεμανῶ Αδειανῶ Σεβαστῶ, ἡ φι-
λοσέβας Εφεσίων βελὴ καὶ οὐ νε-
ωκός θῆμις καθιέωσαν, ἐπὶ
Ἀιθυπάτης Πεδηναῖς Πεισκείνε,
Ψηφισαμένος Τιβ. Κλ. Ἰταλικῶ
τῇ γεραιματέως τῇ δήμῳ, ἔγε-
τιστοι Τιβ. Κλ. Πεισωνένε.

*Imperatoris Cesari Trajanii Par-
thici filii, Divi Nerva nepotis,
Trajani Hadriani Augusti, De-
votum Augusto Ephesorum con-
cilium & editus Populus con-
secrārunt, Proconsule Pediceo
Priscino, decretum ferente Tib.
Cl. Italico scriba Populi, operis
praeſeſto Tib. Cl. Pisonino.*

Ecce in hac inscriptione eum civitatis Ephesina statum qui quidem in sacrâ historiâ tangitur: nimirum τὸν νεωκός οὐ Εφεσίων Δῆμον, & proprium ipsorum magistratum Γεραιματέα τῇ Δήμῃ, tantâ apud Ephesios auctoritate, ut nomen ejus & nummis & lapidibus publicis adscriberetur: neque hos solum; sed & ἀιθύπατον, i. e. Proconsulem Romanum, summum in provinciâ magistratum, qui sora & conventus per civitates ageret: omnia sacræ Aetorum historiæ congruentissima: cap. xix. v. 35. Καλασεῖλας δὲ οὐ ΓΡΑΜΜΑΤΕΥΣ τὸν ἔχον Φησίν. "Ανδρες Εφεσίοι, τίς γάρ εἰσιν ἀν-
θρωπος οὗς & γινώσκει τὴν Εφεσίων πόλιν ΝΕΩΚΟΡΟΝ θσαν τῆς με-
γάλης Θεᾶς Αρτέμιδος, καὶ τῇ Διοπετᾶς; 38. Εἰ μὲν δι γ Δημήτριος καὶ οἱ
σὺν αὐτῷ τεχνῖται πρός τινα λόγου ἔχεσι, ἀγοραῖοι ἄγονται, καὶ ΑΝΘΥ-
ΠΑΤΟΙ εἰσιν. Obiter verò, antequam ad cetera progrediamur,
pium & cordatum Lectorem omnino consultum cuperem, annon
in his malè hodiè legatur ἀγοραῖοι ἄγονται, (aut, si malit, ἀγό-
ραιοι ἄγονται) errore eorum qui ex uncialibus ΑΓΟΡΑΙΟΙΑΓΟΝ-
ΤΑΙ, duas pro tribus vocibus dederunt: unde, deficiente sub-
stantivo, in augustias conjecti sunt interpretes, & necesse habent
ut subintelligant, aut κρίσεις aut ήμέραι, aut quid simile, sed im-
proprium. Atqui & planè & propriè scribi potuit ἀγοραῖοι οἱ ἄ-
γονται, i. e. *sorae ei aguntur*; anglice *Courts are held for him*: De-
metrio scilicet (si quid in quem habeat) legitima aguntur sora:
constructo inter nomen & verbum, neque ineleganter, prono-
mine οἱ, idem significante ac αὐτῷ. Quod ut frequentissimum
est in utrâque linguâ, ita etiam de hisce foris passim per pro-
vincias actis speciatim adhibetur à Cicerone, Orat. pro Cluen-
tio, N°. 14. *Pharmacopola*, inquit, *circumforaneus L. Clodius,*

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*qui properaret, CUI FORA multa restarent. Interim quid & quale fuerit *fora agi* per proconsules res est ex ipsius epistolis bene nota.*

IV.

Hadriani Augusti Procurator honore donatus.

.....PROC.....	* Sic.
CAESARIS.* TRANI.HADRIANI	
... C. AD.DIOECESIN.ALEXANDR	
.. OC.BIBLIOTHECAR.GRAEC.ET	
LATIN.AB.EPIST.GRAEC.PROC.LYC.	
PAMP.GALAT.PARTH.PISID.PONTI	
PROC.HEREDIT.ET.PROC.PROVIN	
CIAE.ASIAE.PROC.SYRIAЕ	
HERMES.AVG LIB.ADIVT.	
EIVS	
H.	C.

Excidit nomen viri tot honorificis muneribus perfuncti, cui quidem hoc monumentum curavit Hermes, ejus in tanto onere adiutor. At mirum ni is ipsus fuerit Lucius Julius Vestinius, in simillimâ Græcâ inscriptione ex Mabillonio monstratus à Fabretto, pag. 198. viz. Αρχιερει. Αλεξανδρειας. και. Αιγυπτ. πασης. Δεκια. Ιελια. Ουησιω. και. επισατη. τ8. Μεσεια. και. επι. των. εν. Ρωμη. βιβλιοθηκων. Ρωμαιων. τε. και. Ελληνων. και. επι. της παιδειας. Αδριαν. Επισολει. τ8. αυτ8. Αυτοκρατορος.

V.

Alius Augusti Procurator, Apolloniae ad Rhyndacum benefactor.

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ΤΟΝΚΡΑΤΙΣΤΟΝΕΠΙΤΡΟΠΟΝ	τὸν κράτισον Ἐπίτροπον
ΤΟΥΣ.ΕΒ.ΗΑΠΟΛΛΩΝΙΑ	τ8 Σεβ. ή Ἀπολλωνια-
ΤΩΝΠΡΟΣΤΟΝΡΥΝΔΑΚΟΝ	τῶν πρὸς τὸν Ῥύνδακον
ΠΟΛΙΣΤΟΝΙΔΙΟΝΕΤΕΡΓΕΤΗΝ	πόλις τὸν ἴδιον ἐνεργέτην.
ΕΠΙΜΕΛΗΕΝΤΩΝΤΗΣ	ἐπιμεληθέντων τῆς
ΑΝΑΣΤΑΣΕΩΣΚΑΤΑΦΗΦΙ	ἀναστασεως κατὰ Φήφι-
ΣΜΑΤΗΣΠΟΛΕΩΣΤΩΝΠΕΡΙ	μα τῆς πόλεως τῶν περὶ
ΤΟΝΚΟΡΝΗΑΙΟΝΑΠΟΛΛΙΝΑ	τὸν Κορνήλιον Ἀπολλινά-
ΡΕΙΟΝ....ΑΠΟΛΛ..ΑΡ.ΑΥΡΗΛ.	ρειου...Ἀπολλ..αρ. Αυρηλ.
....ΡΟΥΦΟΝ.'Ρεφου. i. e.
 <i>Sirenu-</i>

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. *Strenuissimum Procuratorem Augus*ti Apolloniatarum ad Rhyniacum civitas proprium ipsorum benefactorem. Erectionem honoris curantibus secundum decretum civitatis iis qui Archontes fuerunt cum Cornelio Apollinario Ruso.**

VI.

Fadilla Commodi Imp. soror. de quâ Herodianus lib. I.

ΦΑΔΙΛΑΝ	Φαδίλλαν	Fadillam
ΘΥΓΑΤΕΡΑ	Θυγατέρα	Filiam
Μ. ΑΥΡΗΛΙΟΥ	Μ. Αυρηλίου	M. Aurelii
ΑΝΤΩΝΕΙΝΟΥ	Αντωνείνου	Antonini
ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟΥ	Καίσαρος Σεβαστού	Cæsaris Augusti.

VII.

Ptelea vetustum Ephesi nomen, in epigrammate de figurâ quadam Antonini, intra murum abdita.

ΤΟΤΤΟΝΟΝΕΙΣΟΡΑΛΣ	Τέττον ἐν εἰσοδίᾳ τόπον ὄρθιον Ἀνθωνείνου
ΤΤΠΟΝΟΡΘΙΟΝΑΝΤΩΝΕΙΝΟΤ	Δωρόθεος Πτελεή Θύκατο κρυπτόφρου.
ΔΩΡΟΘΕΟΣΠΤΕΛΕΗ	Stantem hanc effigiem quam conspicis Antonini,
ΘΗΚΑΤΟΚΡΥΠΤΟΜΕΝΟΝ	Clam tibi Dorotheus condidit in Pteleâ.

Intelligitur fortasse M. Aurelii nummus pag. I. representatus.

VIII.

Severus Imperator, quo melius crudelitati suæ speciem aliquam obtenderet, multos (ut auctor est Capitolinus) tanquam Parricidales infamatos sustulit. Quo fortasse pertinet Fragmentum Latino-Græcum quod effossum & descriptum Ephesi per Rev. Car. Burdett hoc ab eo transmissum est A. D. 1727. Id ex lingua utriusque reliquiis, aut hoc aut simili modo, non male redintegrabitur.

QVOD. EVIDENTI IN [signique pru- οτ]ΙΔ[ιζ τῆς
DENTIA. DOMINI. N [N. Imp. Severus et	ΕΝΑΡΓΕΣ ΤΑΤΗ Σ ΕΠΙΦ[ρεσωντες δι. Κύριος
ANTONINVS. PII. AV]gg. et Julia Aug.	ΗΜΩΝ ΣΕΟΥΗΡΟΣ ΚΑΙ ΑΝ[τωνενθ. δισθεε-
Omnes CVM expulerunt	ΤΑΤΟΙΤΩΝ ΑΤΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡΩΝ [κρά].
PARRICIDIALES. INSID[ia]tores	ΙΟΤΛΙΑΣ ΕΒΑΣΤΗ ΠΑΝΤΑ[ε ιξισαλον
HELICO. LIBERTVS. EORVM	παι] ΔΑΣΤΩΝ ΑΝΟΣΙΩΝ [άνθρω-
DONVM.	ΠΩΝ ΛΠΕΛΕΤΘΕΡΟΣΑΤ] τῶν 'Ελικων.
	Donum

Donum hic intelligi videtur Isidi & Serapidi sacrum. Iis enim Σωτηρίας ergo, ut ex sequenti patet Epigrammate, Vota Ephesi concepta sunt. Magna autem hic oboritur suspicio latre in his imperfectis Severianæ persecutionis testimonium; & infamari nunc gentem Christianam sub parricidialium insidiatorum nomine, ut antea latronum sub Nerone. Bellè cñim respondet quæ è Schotti Mctellique Schedis in Corpus Gruterianum relata est Lusitanica Inscriptio. pag. ccxxxviii. NERONI CL. CAIS. AVG. PONT. MAX. OB. PROVINC. LATRONIB. ET. HIS. QVI. NOVAM. GENERI. HVM. SUPERSTITION. INCVL CAB. PVRGATAM Hanc quidem ad examen revocavit Scaliger, ast alii eandem pro indubitâ rectius, ut credo, haurunt.

IX.

Donarium Isidis & Serapidis pro salvo duorum itu redituque.

ΕΠΙΠΡΥΤΑΝΕΩΣΚΛΑΥΔΙΟΥ	Ἐπὶ Πρυτανέως Κλαυδίου
ΤΙΤΙΑΝΟΥΔΗΜΟΣΤΡΑΤΟΥΥΙΟΥ	Τιτιανῆ, Δημοσθάτε ϕέ,
ΑΡΧΙΕΡΕΩΣΙΕΡΑΤΕΥΟΝΤΟΣ	Αρχιερέως ιερατεύοντος
ΣΟΣΣΙΑΝΟΥΜ.ΠΟΜΠΩΝΙΟΣ	Σοσσιανῆ, Μ. Πομπώνιος
ΛΑΤΕΙΝΟΣΑΝΕΘΗΚΕΝΙΣΙΔΙ	Λατεῖνος ἀγέθηκεν Ἰσιδί
ΚΑΙΣΕΡΑΠΙΔΙΦΙΑΛΗΝΚΑΙ	καὶ Σεραπίδι Φιάλην καὶ
ΣΠΟΝΔΕΙΟΝΔ	σπονδεῖον δ[ῶρον ὑπὲρ]
ΝΑΥΒΑΤΟΥΝΤΩΝΛΑΥΚΙΔ	ναυβατένηων Λαυκίδ[α καὶ]
ΧΑΡΙΔΗΜΟΥΤΟΥΧΑΡ	Χαριδήμος τῇ Χαρ[ιδημ. i. e.]

Sub Prytane Claudio Titiano, Filio Demofrati, Archisacerdote sacra faciente Soffiano, M. Pomponius Latinus dedicavit Isidi & Serapidi phialam & libatorium pateram, donum pro navim concidentibus Lycida & Charidemo Charidemi F.

X.

Ephesina sunt quæ sequuntur, inscripta Sarcophagis duobus marmoreis per amplis, quamquam, avecta illinc ad capiendas aquas fontanas, in viâ hodie extens propiū Tyriam, frequens mercatu oppidum, horis ab Epheso octonis.

ΑΥΤΗ Η ΣΟΡΟΣ ΕΣΤΙΝ ΠΟΝΤΗΙΟΥ ΕΥΠΡΟΣΔΕΚΤΟΥ ΠΡΟ
 ΜΕΤΡΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΓΥΝΑΙΚΟΣ ΑΥΤΟΥ
 ΑΥΡΙΟΥ ΛΑΣΚΑΙ ΤΕΚΝΩΝ ΑΥΤΩΝ ΖΩΣΙΝΕΙΣ ΗΝΟΥ ΔΕΝΙ
 ΕΞΕΣΤΑΙ ΕΤΕΡΟΝ ΗΠΤΩΜΑ
 ΚΗΔΕΥΣΑΙ ΗΓΡΑΜΜΑ ΕΓΚΟΦΑΙ ΧΩΡΙΣΤΩΝ ΔΕ ΠΡΟΓΕΓΡ
 ΑΜΜΕΝΩΝ ΤΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΚΗΔΟΝΤΑΙΟΙ ΕΝΕ
 ΦΕΣΩ ΕΡΓΑΤΑΙ ΠΡΟΠΥΛΕΙΤΑΙ ΗΡΟΣ ΤΩΝ ΙΟΣΕΙ ΔΩΝΙΟΙΣ
 ΚΑΙ ΚΑΘΙΕΡΩΣ ΕΝ ΧΠΕΝΤΑΚΟΣΙΑ ΕΝΙΤΩ ΓΕΙ
 ΝΕΣΘΑΙ ΑΠΟ ΤΟΥ ΓΕΙΝΟΜΕΝΟΥ ΤΟΚΟΥ ΟΙΝΟΠΟΣΙΑΝΚ
 ΑΙΚΗΡΙΟΛΟΥΣ ΚΑΙ ΣΤΕΦΑΧΙΠΟΙΗ
 ΣΟΥΣ ΙΝ ΔΕΤΗ ΝΕΥΩΧΙΑΝ^η-ΠΟΣ. Η^{πι} ΕΙΔΕΜΗΠΟΙΗ ΣΟΥ
 ΣΙΑΛΛΑ ΠΑΡΑ ΡΕΜΦΟΝΤΑΙ ΕΚΔΙΚΗΣΟΥ
 ΣΙΝΚΑΙ ΕΚ ΠΡΑΞΟΥ ΣΙΝΚΑΙ ΠΟΙΗ ΣΟΥ ΣΙΝΟΙ ΕΝΕΦΕΣΩ ΠΡ
 ΟΜΕΤΡΑΙ.

Ἀυτὴ ἡ σορός ἐσιν Πούλης Ἐυ-
 προσδέκτις Πρεμέτερος, καὶ γυναι-
 κὸς αὐτῆς Αὐξέντιας τέκνων
 αὐτῶν. Ζῶσιν. Εἰς ἦν γέδειν ἔξ-
 εσαι ἔτερον ἢ πῖθα καθδύσαι
 ἢ γεύμα ἐγκόψαι χωεὶς τῶν
 δε προγείεσμάρθρων. Τέττα καθδόνται
 οἱ ἐν Ἐφέσῳ ἐργάται Πρεποντεῖ-
 ται πρὸς τῷ Ποσειδῶνι, ὃς ἡ
 καθίσσωσεν ἡ πεντακόσια, ἐπὶ τῷ
 γείνεσθαι διπλῷ τῷ γενομένῳ τόκῳ
 οινοποσίᾳν, καὶ πηγέολας καὶ Στεφ.
 αχί. Ποιήστων ὃ τὴν θωχίαν^η-Ποσ.
 Η^{πι} Εἰ ὃ μὴ ποιήστων,
 ἀλλὰ ωζαπέμψονται, ἐκδικήσ-
 σον καὶ ἐπερίξουσιν, καὶ ποιήστων
 οἱ ἐν Ἐφέσῳ Πρεμέτεραι.

Hec cista est Ponteii Euprosdekti Prometrae, uxoris ejus Aureliae Julie liberorumque eorum. Vivant. In quam nemini licebit cadavir aliud inserre aut aliam literulam incidere præter eos qui sunt superscripti. Hujus curam habent Opifices Ephesi Propylæ, prope templum Neptuni, quibus consecravit ipse denaria quingenta, ut ex eorum usuris fiat propinatio; Et cereoli Et corone ex denariis decem. Facient vero epulum mense Posidone, die quinta. Siu minime fecerint, sed omiserint, item intendent Et debitum exigent, Et epulum ipsi facient, qui sunt in Epheso Prometrae [scilicet Prometretæ.]

In his abbreviatè scriptum est ΑΧΙ pro ἀπὸ δημαρχῶν δέκα, & ut opinor, Η^{πι}-ΠΟΣ. Η^{πι} pro Μηνὸς Ποσειδῶνος ἡμέρᾳ πέμπτῃ Ισαμένᾳ.

Hi ἐν Ἐφέσῳ ἐργάται πρεποντεῖται, Collegium erant opificum qui ἀγάλματα ac περιεργα Δεὸντα Προπύλῃ dicta faciebant, non

aliter ac Demetriani illi De^z Ἀρτέμιδι, Actor. xix. hujusmodi autem ἀγάλματα, aut in Triviis, aut ante portas, posita, Εκκαῖαι sunt vocata, eorumque unum intra Castelli Ephesini portam hodieque hâc formâ extat; Lunæ nempe facie, arcuatim à serpentibus duobus cinctâ. Vide figuram pag. 1. sed de hisce *Propylitis* ut etiam de *Prometris*, seu familiæ seu officii nomine, vide quid habeat Lexicon Alphabeticum.

XI.

ΗΣΟΡΟΣ ΦΛΑΒΙΑΝΩ
ΟΥΔΕΝΙ . . . Ε . . . ΑΙ . . . ΜΕΤΑ . . . ΚΟΜΙΣ . . . ΜΑ
ΟΤΟΛΜΗΣΑΣΤΙΤΟΙΟΥΤΟΤΙΣΕΙΤΩΙΕΡΩΤΑ
ΤΩΤΑΜΕΙΩΣ. ΦΚΗΔΟΝΤΑΙΔΕΤΗΣΣΟΡΟΥΓΙΟΥΝΙΟΙΑΛΕΞΑΝ
ΔΡΟΣΚΑΙΠΟΤΑΜΩΝΚΑΙΚΛΗΡΟΝΟΜΟΙΑΥΤΩΝΖΩΣΙΝΤΑΥΤΗΣ
ΕΠΙΓΡΑΦΗΣΑΝΤΙΓΡΑΦΟΝΑΝΕΤΕΘΗΕΙΣΤΟΕΝΕΦΕΣΩ
ΑΡΧΕΙΟΝ.

"Αυτη] ή σορὸς
Φλαβιανῷ όδενὶ [ἢ ἔξ-
εσαι ή μελαθεῖαι ή εἰσκο-
μίσαι πλῶμα ἔτερον, ἐπεὶ] ὁ τολ-
μήσας τι τοιούτη τίσει τῷ ιερῷάτῳ
ταμείῳ Η. Φ. Κίδονῃ ἢ τὸ
σορὸς Ἰάνιος Ἀλέξανδρῷ καὶ Πο-
τάμων καὶ Κληρονόμοις αὐτῶν. Ζώ-
σιν. Ταῦτης Ἐπιγραφῆς αὐλίγρα-
φου ανελέθη εἰς τὸ σὺν Ἐφέσῳ αἴ-
χειον.

Collocata est hæc cista
Flaviano Nemini verò li-
cebūt aut dimovere cistam, aut in
eam cadaver aliud inferre. Quo-
niam qui tale aliquid ausus fue-
rit, solvet sacro Ærario De-
naria bis mille & quingenta.
Cistæ curam habent Junii duo
Alexander & Potamo, & He-
redes eorum. Vivant. Hujus in-
scriptionis Exemplar in Archibvis
Ephesi repositum est.

XII.

*Ad eandem gentem Flavianam pertinet fortasse quadrata inscripta
basis prope Castelli Ephesini portam.*

ΗΒΟΥΛΗΤΕΙΜΗΣΕΝ
ΠΟΠΛΙΟΝΑΙΛΙΟΝΦΛΑ
ΒΙΑΝΟΝΑΠΟΛΟΔΩ
ΡΟΝΑΣΠΕΝΔΙΟΝΦΙΛΟ
ΛΟΓΟΝΤΟΔΕΜΝΗ
ΜΕΙΟΝΚΑΤΕΣΚΕΤΑΣΕΝ
ΠΟΠΛΙΟΣΑΙΛΙΟΣΦΛΑ
ΒΙΑΝΟΣΩΙΛΟΣΟ
ΑΔΕΛΦΟΣΑΥΤΟΥΖΗ

Η βαλὴ ἐτάμησεν Concilium honoravit
Πόπλιον Ἀιλιον Φλα- Publīum Ælium Fla-
βιανὸν Ἀπολλόδω- vianum Apollodo-
ρεν, Ἀσπένδιον, φιλο- dorum, civem Appendi-
λόγον. Τὸ δὲ μνη- um, philologum. Monu-
μένον κατεσκέψατεν mentum vero paravit
Πόπλιον Ἀιλιος Φλα- Publius Ælius Flavi-
βιανὸς Ζώιλος, ὁ anus Zoilus, ipius
ἀδελφὸς αὐτῷ. Ζη. frater. Vivat.
XIII. Viā

XIII.

Viâ quâ itur ad *Guzel-bissar*, quarto aut quinto fere ab Epheso millari, convallis est angusta arboribus obsita, & vivis aquis (ex Haliatâ fonte, ut credibile est) irrigua. Illic, anno Dom. 1700, integer stetit aquæductus, superiùs sex fornicibus sustentus, quoq; inferiùs tres sustinent majores. Ita qui pons olim fuerat imperante Cæsare Augusto, sequiore tempore in aquæductum est conversus. Inscripta est prioris operis dedicatio geminis versibus prælongis, Latino uno, Græco altero; in quibus nec injucundè neque inutiliter, peculiares utriusque linguae quoad stylum lapidarium proprietates peritus notabit lector.

DIANA.E.PHESIAE.ET.IMPERATORI.CAESARI.AVG.ET.
T.I.CAESARI.AVG.F.ET.CIVITATI.EPHESINAE.SEXTILI
V.S.P.F.VOT.POLLIO.CVM.OFILLIA.A.F.BASSA.VXORE.SV
A.ET.C.OFILLIO.PROCVLO.F.SVO.CETERISQVE.LIBERE
IS.SVEIS.PONTEMDE.SVA.PECVNIA.FACIVNDVM.CVRA
VIT.

ΑΡΤΕΜΙΔΙΕΦΕΣΙΑΙΚΑΙΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡΙΚΑΙΣΑΡΙΣΕΒΑΣ
ΤΩΙΚΑΙΤΙΒΕΡΙΩΙΚΑΙΣΑΡΙΣΕΒ.ΥΙΩΙΚΑΙΤΩΙΔΗΜΩΙΤΩΙ
ΕΦΕΣΙΩΝΓΑΙΟΣΣΕΞΤΙΔΙΟΣΠΟΠΛΙΟΥΥΙΟΣΟΥΟΤΟΥΡΙΑΠ
ΟΛΛΙΩΝΣΥΝΟΦΕΛΛΙΑΙΑΥΔΟΥΘΥΓΑΤΡΙΒΑΣΣΗΤΗΙΕΑΥ
ΤΟΥΓΥΝΑΙΚΙΚΑΙΓΑΙΩΙΟΦΕΛΛΙΩΠΡΟΚΑΩΙΕΑΥΤΟΥΥΙ
ΩΙΚΑΙΤΟΙΣΛΟΙΠΟΙΣΤΕΚΝΟΙΣΤΗΝΓΕΦΥΡΑΝΕΚΤΩΝΙΔ
ΙΩΝΑΝΕΘΗΚΕΝ

Ἄρτεμιδη Ἐφεσίᾳ καὶ Αὐτοκράτορες Καίσαρες Σεβαστῷ καὶ Τιβερίῳ
Καίσαρε, Σεβ. υἱῷ, καὶ τῷ δήμῳ τῷ Ἐφεσίων Γαίῳ Σεξτίλῳ
Ποπλίᾳ υὸς κόλέσια Πολλίων, σὺν Ὀφελλίᾳ Ἄυλῃ θυματεῖ Βάσῃ,
τῇ ἑαυτῇ γυναικὶ, καὶ τῷ Ὀφελλίῳ Πρεσβύτεροι υἱῷ, καὶ τοῖς λοιποῖς
τέκνοις, τῷώ γεφύρῃ ἐπὶ τῷδε ιδίῳ ἀνέθηκεν.

XIV.

Ephesiniis etiam par est annumerari tria quæ eodem semper itinere observantur. Horum duo priora spectant ad urbem Metropolem rectâ inter Ephesum & Smyrnam viâ. Quippe, inquit Strabo lib. 14. *Ab Epheso Smyrnam usque stadia sunt trecenta ac viginti: Nam usque Metropolim centum ac viginti: reliqua sunt Smyrnam usque.*

METROPOLIS.

ΑΓΛΩΘΗΤΙΧΗ	Ἄγαθη τύχη	Bona Fortuna
ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡΙ	Αυτοκράτορει	Imperatori
ΚΑΙΣΑΡΙΤΡΑ	Καίσαρε Τρα-	Cæsari Tra-
ΙΑΝΩΛΔΡΙΑΝΩ	ιανώ Ἀδριανῶ	jano Adriano
ΔΙΟΛΥΜΠΙΩ	Διὶ Ὄλυμπίᾳ	Jovi Olympio
ΚΑΙΚΤΙΣΤΗΙ	καὶ Κτισῆι.	urbis conditori.

XV.

ΟΔΗΜΟΣ	Ο Δῆμος	Populus honoravit
ΜΑΓΔΟΝΔΙΟΝΥΣΙΟΥ	Μάγδον Διονυσίου	Magdum Dionysii Filium,
ΤΟΝ ΓΛΑΥΚΩΝΟΣ ΘΥ	τὸν Γλαυκᾶν θυ-	Glauconis ex filiā Nepotem, ob
ΓΑΤΡΙΔΟΥΝΔΙΑΤΑΣ	γατερόδην άλι τὰς	eas quae patriæ obvene-
ΕΚ ΓΛΑΥΚΩΝΟΣ ΕΙΣ ΤΗΝ	ἐκ Γλαυκᾶν θυ τὰς	runt ex Glaucone bene-
ΗΑΤΡΙΔΑΕΤΕΡΓΕΣΙΑΣ	πατέρδα διεγεσίας.	factiones.

XVI.

Alterum repertum est ad *Scalam novam*, olim Neapolin prope Panormum Ephesiorum portum; estque epitaphium cuiuspiam qui, occasione qua non liquet, ē rupe dejectus periit.

ΟΣΤΕΑΜΕΝΚΑΙΣΑΡΚΑΣΕΜΑΣΣΠΙΛΑΔΕΣΔΙΕΧΕΥΑΝΟΣΣΙ
ΑΙΚΡΗ
ΜΝΩΝΑΛΑΜΑΤΠΟΔΕΞΑΜΕΝΑΙΨΥΧΗΔΑΙΘΕΡΙΟΝΚΑΤΕ^{ΧΕΙΠΟ}
ΔΟΝΑΞΥΝΕΤΩΝΔΕΒΟΥΛΑΙΣΑΝΘΡΩΠΩΝΤΟΥΔΕΤΥΧΟΝ
ΟΔΑΝΑΤΟΥ

'Οσέα μὲν νὺ σάρκας ἐμὰς ασίλαδες διέχθυαν
'Οξεῖαι κηρυνῶν ἄλι' ἔποδεξάμφραι.
Ψυχὴ δὲ αἰθέριον καλέχει πόλον. 'Αξυνέτων δὲ
Βελαῖς αἰθέρωπων τοῦδε ἔτυχον θανάτοις.

Dum feror in præcepis scopulis illis acutis,
Offa quidem & nervi disperiere mei.
Ait anima athereas sedes habet. Inspicientum
Consiliis hominum talia sata tuli.

Ἐποιήτες homines hic intellige non ita à fatuitate, sed ab improbitate, & feritate dictos; non aliter ac D. Paulo Rom. i. 31. Ασυνέτες, ἀσυνθέτες, ἀσόργετοι, ἀσπόνδετοι, ἀγελεγμονοις. Quomodo etiam Cicroni siulti & improbi pro synonymis habitu. de Nat. i. 9.

TRAVELS
IN
TURKEY
AND BACK TO
ENGLAND.

By the late Reverend and Learned
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T H E P R E F A C E.

NO books are generally more entertaining and instructive, than the accounts of travels into foreign countries; and especially those, which are written in the way of Journals. For he, who reads such narratives, is almost apt to fancy himself in company with the traveler, and to take part with him in all his adventures; which at the same time that they shew the peculiar temper, customs, and manners of different nations, excite also a variety of passions, which by their succession please the mind, and make the chief delight even in theatrical performances.

UPON this account it is, that the Letters of Busbequius, during his embassy in Turkey; and the Journies of our ingenious and learned countryman Mr. Maundrell, thro' several parts of the same vast empire, which he has so accurately described; are repeatedly read, and always with new pleasure.

THEREFORE, when Mr. Edmund Chishull, only Son of the late Reverend Mr. Chishull, who was for some years chaplain to the Factory of our Worshipful Turkey Company at Smyrna, brought to me not many months since the present Journal of his Father's Travels, desiring me to peruse it, and give him my opinion, whether it was a work worthy to be published; I could not refuse his request, but applied myself with due care to read and examine it. And I was the more readily induced to this, as I had thro' a course of many years the happiness of a perfect acquaintance with his father, even from his return home to his death; and knew him, as well from his conversation, as his writings (particularly that justly celebrated book

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of his *Antiquitates Asiaticae*) to be not only a man of uncommon learning, but likewise of great sagacity, and indefatigable diligence.

AND indeed my pains in the perusal of these papers were very well rewarded. For besides an agreeable amusement common to other writings of this nature, they gave me very useful instruction as to several passages in antient historians, and other classic authors; and at the same time illustrated many old inscriptions, several of which are now first published, and others taken with greater exactness, than had been done formerly.

HENCE I could not but persuade the young Gentleman to oblige the world with this work, and to have it printed in such a manner, as his freinds should advise him. Tho I easily foresaw, that the doing of this would necessarily be attended with some difficulties; as Mr. Chishull had put into writing those occurrences, which he thought worthy of his notice, at such leisure minutes, as he could snatch from the constant fatigues of his journey; and by that means had sometimes not only thrown many things together without exact order, but often left the places cited from antient writers to be supplied out of their own works. And besides, his hand being both small and hasty, was frequently not very easy to be read; so that many of the words, as to the manner of spelling, appeared doubtful and uncertain. This made it needful to have the whole first fairly transcribed, and then to fill up the quotations. The former task therefore I committed to a professed penman, and the latter I undertook myself. In the doing of which I not only carefully compared the transcriber's copy with the original; but had recourse to the authors themselves, and took out of them the several passages, to which the references were made.

WHEN Mr. Chishull left England, he was fellow of Corpus Christi college in Oxford, and had a grant of the traveler's place from the president and society. He set sail from the Downs September the 12, 1698, in the Neptune frigate, Capt. Thomas commander, and arrived at Smyrna November the 19 following. During the voyage, agreeably to his usual diligence, he constantly kept a Journal of what then offered. But as nothing very remarkable occurred at sea; for that reason the account of his Travels, which is here published, begins with a Journey undertaken by him some months after his

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his settlement at Smyrna. However as in his passage he went on shoar first at Cadiz, then at Messina, and after that in the island of Milo; in each of which places he made several observations, which he afterwards sent in a Letter from Smyrna to Dr. Thomas Turner, president of his college: that Letter is likewise now published at the end of this book.

BUT as he has generally remarked the situation, government, and other curiosities, of the most considerable cities, thro' which he passed; it may seem strange, that no account is here given of Smyrna, the place of his residence, and where, as he himself tells us, he continu'd from November 19, 1698, to February 10, 1701-2. This how-ever was occasioned by his design of treating upon that place in a more distinct and particular manner; for which purpose there is a large number of minutes, or heads, detached in a separate part of the book, relating both to the antient and present state of the city; which were afterwards to have been filled up, and enlarged. Tho' as they are now left, nothing more appears, that can be of any ser-vice to the public, than what here follows.

THE antiquities now extant in this place are these. The castle, which was Roman, and where Dolabella beheaded Trebonius. The large head of *Smyrna* the Amazon over the gate of the same. The inscription relating to *Joannes Ducas* over another gate of the same, with the modern oriental eagle on both sides. The small remains of the theatre, in which *S. Polycarp* was burnt, lately taken to pieces to build the *Vizir kane* of the place, and *bezesten*, or market. The reliques of *St. John's church*. The space and walls of an antient *cirque*. All which are on the faid castle hill, which immediately overlooks the city. The ruins of the temple of *Apollo* at the foot of mount *Corycus*, in an olive grove, and over the θερμὰ ὑδατα. The ruins of the temple of *Aesculapius*, or *Nep-tune*, in the way to *Eshekléer*; where was lately found the head of *Janus*, and another of *M. Modius*. A rich and delicate pave-ment of mosaic work by the sea side, towards the north, at a place where the outer wall terminates in the shore; which possibly is the remains of the *gymnasium*, or some heathen temple. The fe-veral inscriptions there lately found, reported in *Prideaux*, or at the end of this book. The large stones of a yard and half square in a great and masly wall, now part of a *kane* in the *Armenian* street, on all of which is marked the letter V, as large as the breadth
of

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of the stone would permit. The remains of an old *Roman* way, paved with broad and masty stones, but smooth, in the road over the castle hill toward *Ephesus*. The remains of the antient wall encompassing the *pomoerium*, or a large space of ground about two thousand paces distant all round from the castle, or the city. The scarcity of antiquities now to be found in *Smyrna* arises from hence, that it furnished the greatest part of the *Marmora Arundeliana*.

THE inscriptions here said to be reported in Prideaux, are to be found in the Doctor's edition of the Marmora Arundeliana. And as to those referred to at the end of our author's book, such of them will be here subjoined, as are not in the large collection designed by him for a second part of his Antiquitates Asiaticae; of which a few sheets only, containing those which relate to Ephesus, were printed by him a little before his death, and the rest are now in my possession.

IN a very pleafant valley near the bank of the river *Meles*, scarce thirty paces without the city.

.... ΜΕΝΟΣ :
 ΙΕΡΟΝ
 ΑΦΡΟΔΙΤΗΣ
 ΣΤΡΑΤΟΝΙΚΙΔΟΣ ²
 ... ΟΥ ΗΔΕ Κ[ΥΚ]
 ΛΩΙ] ΤΟ ΠΑΡΑΠ[ΑΝ ³
 ... ΚΕΙΜ]ΕΝΟΝ ΑΠΟ ΤΩΝ
 .. Π]ΛΕΘΡΩΝ ΚΑΤΑ
 ΤΑΣΣΕΤΑΙ ΕΙΣ
 ΤΑΣ ΙΕΡΑΣ[ΜΗ
 ΤΡΟΣ ΟΔΟΥΣ ⁴

ON a hill near the castle.

Τ. ΦΛ. ΕΤΕΙΔΗΣ ΔΙΑΔΕΞΑΜΕΝΟΣ ΤΗΝ
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¹ ΤΕΜΕΝΟΣ.

² De Venere Stratonicide vid. *Tacit. Annal.*
Lib. iii. cap. 63.

³ Deest forsitan ΑΗΙΟΝ.

⁴ Vid. *ιερὶς οἰδης*, apud *Harpocrat.*

ON a square stone in the house of the English consul, being
of a later age.

BEBIA ΑΙΦΕΙΝΤΟ ΘΩΡΑΚΕΙΟΝ ΚΑΙ ΤΑ ENCOPIA
 ΚΑΙ ΤΗΝ ΣΟΠΟΝ ΤΗΝ ΕΠΙ ΤΩ ΘΩΡΑΚΕΙΩ
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 ΑΥΤΩΝ. ΧΑΙΡΕ & ΚΑΙ ΣΥ.

What he has said in relation to the present Smyrna, is as follows.

SMYRNA is situated in the latitude of 38gr. 40m. in a deep bay, that enters within the continent about ten leagues; and is so well defended by the *Erythraean* promontory, now cape *Kara Bornu*, and mount *Corycus*, with the hills commonly called *Cordilien*, and its own windings, that it is every where a port, affording good depths and secure anchorage. Immediately within the bay are seven islands, lying in length towards the port of *Vourlá*, antiently *Clazomenae*, which of old were called the *Peristerides*; and the biggest of them, *Megale*, is now by the English named *Long Island*, over against *Fochia Vecchia*, or *Phocaea*. Cape *Kara Bornu*, or *Black Nose* (antiently the ἄχρα μέλαινα) afforded, as *Strabo* says, excellent mill stones; which is not unknown to the present inhabitants, and therefore we there see several mills now employed. Within two leagues and a half of the city the *Hermus* enters the bay, and there forms a bed of sand; which being met by a point of land from the opposite shore stops up the haven by a very narrow chanel, thus rendring it κλειστὸς, as *Strabo* then expressed it. On the said point stands a new and strong fort, called *Sangiac Castle*; because the *Grand Signior's* colours are there exposed, on occasions that require it. From hence we sail towards *Smyrna*, in a fair and long arm of the sea, which imitates the pleasures of a canal; whilst the woody mountains on each side, with the city at one end, and the castle at the other, conspire to give a mutual beauty to one another.

¹ ΚΛΕΙΜΑΞ, *scalare*, de quo vide *Reines. Inscript. antiqu. Claff. sept. num. xvi.*

HAD our author lived to finish his elaborate account of Smyrna, from the large materials he had collected for that design, it would doubtless have been a very useful work, and thrown much light upon many passages in ancient writers. And indeed every part of his Travels must certainly have received great advantage and improvements from his review. Tho I question not, but in their present state they will meet with such a reception from the public, as will reward the labours of the learned Father, by a proper encouragement given to his industrious Son.

I SHALL only add, that some intimation having been given of a Map, designed to be published with this book, that was judged afterwards not so necessary, as at first was apprehended; since there are so many maps already extant of those countries, which make the subject of these Travels. And therefore as the principal use of such a map would have been to exhibit both the ancient and modern names of several places, which are mentioned by our author; an Index was thought more commodious for that purpose. Besides, as he has occasionally introduced many Turkish and other foreign words, without explaining them; this affords likewise an opportunity for their explanation. As the benefit of the reader has been consulted in this alteration; so it is not to be doubted, but he will find the advantage of it in perusing the work.

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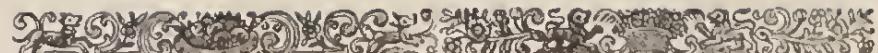
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AN ACCOUNT of a journey round the antient *Ionia*,
from *Smyrna*, thro *St. George's*, *Magnesia*, *Durguthli*, *Sardis*, *Birghée*, *Tyria*, *Ephesus*, and back to
Smyrna, in the year MDCXCIX.

A P R I L xxi.

EIGHT of our nation having lately designed a visit to the church of *Ephesus*, by name, Messieurs Whalley, Dunster, Coventry, Ashe, Turner, Clotterbooke, Frye, and Chishull, we had first a general meeting, to agree upon what was requisite to the resolution we had taken; at which time Mr. Whalley kindly undertaking the care of our provisions, and the government of our intended journey, we propos'd to make a circuit of our way to *Ephesus*, that so we might have a larger satisfaction in the sight of those delightsome places, for which *Asia Minor* was always so justly celebrated.

IN prosecution of this design we intended to make our first *conâck* at *Norlicui*, to which place having this morning dispatched our baggage upon mules, under the care of a *janisary* and two servants, we ourselves set forward about three in the afternoon, with another *janisary*, *dragoman*, servants, and other requisites. Our company completed the number of twenty three light horse. Six or seven other gentlemen of the English factory were pleased to accompany us as far as *Norlicui*, where arriving in less than two hours, we all found a kind and hospitable reception from Mr. Benjamin Jones and his lady. After a short repast our freinds returned back to *Smyrna*, and left us employed in providing for ourselves and horses. This care had now taken up the evening, when it being proposed, that morning and evening prayers should be constantly read to the company during the whole journey, we all readily embraced the motion. Hereupon we immediately put this design in execution, and then pitched upon our lodging.

APRIL XXII.

THIS morning a quarter before five we leave *Norlicui*, and proceed on *Magnesia* road in our way to *St. George's* village, expecting to see the ceremonies, which the Greek Christians there perform on the twenty third instant, which is the festival of that saint. And having ascended the top of the adjoining hill, we there make an halt for our mules, and take that opportunity of looking back, and enjoying the delightful prospect, which this place afforded us. We had then the gap of *Nympbe* on our left hand, and village of *Palamitciu* on our right, which is pleasantly seated on an ascent, under a grove of pine trees; but before us lay extended the whole plain between the hills of *Tartalée*¹ and *Cordilieu*, being terminated with the view of the *Two Brothers*², the city, castle, and bay of *Smyrna*.

WE continue our journey over the hill, till arriving at an old burying place, we begin to descend by a paved way to a large and high bridge of stone, built over a small, but clear and purling river. From hence we pass on to the groves of *Jacáciu*, which is a village seated on the right hand upon an ascending ground, and fronting the edge of *Tartalée*. Here we again halted, and drank a

¹ *Tartalée* seems to be the *Maſtufia* of the antients, well describ'd by *Pliny*, *Lib. v. cap. 29.* to lie *a tergo Smyrnæe.* ² The *Two Brothers* are two eminences of *Mons Corycus*, concerning which see *Strabo, Lib. xiv. p. 670.*

dish of coffee, partly to wait for our mules, and partly to entertain ourselves with a view of the plain of *Nymphe*, into which we had a narrow prospect between the forementioned village and the ridge of the opposite mountain. After this we ascend a tedious and craggy hill, with which tho we were now considerably fatigued, yet we had still courage enough to reject the proposil, which was there made, of baiting, and taking the advantage of a fair commodious fountain, which flows on our right hand from the top of the hill. We therefore procced about the space of an hour in tolerable good way, till at the descent of the mountain we encounter a rugged and uneasy passage; the road being either choaked up with loose stones, or else worn into abrupt and descending steps. This obliged us to dismount, and lead our horses down the precipice; where we nevertheless received some little satisfaction, in observing the veins of red and white marble, with which each side of this troublesome way is garnished. At the foot of the hill we cross a rivulet, and quickly after repassing the same, ride from thence strait forward in a covert and narrow bottom, which in les than half an hour leads us into the plains of *Magnesia*. After a short repast in this place we mount our horses, turning to the left out of the road of *Magnesia*; and tho we were now not more than half an hour from our intended conack, yet we ride on by mistake too much to the right hand; till, having advanced beyond the town and castle of *Magnesia*, we come to a Turkish village, where we were directed almost back again to *St. George's*. Here we arrived about one a clock, and made it our first busness to pitch our tent for the use of our fervants, whilst we ourselves were received into a little house, which afforded us the convenience of one chamber, and a *sophá*, for lodging.

AFTER dinner we took a walk about the village, and visited the low humble church, which is here permitted to the Greek Christians. It has outwardly the marks of no inconsiderable antiquity, and within it is the exact model of the primitive Greek churches; consisting first of the *πρόστασις* or *outward chapel*, then the *νάos* or *body of the church*, with three passages from the one into the other, and after all a chancel separate from the nave by lattice work. We here observed no other ornaments, than the pictures of *St. George*, the *Virgin Mary*, *St. John*, and *St. Nicholas*, and another of our Savior on the roof
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of the church, which consists of a regular cupola. Before the altar lay the book of the *Gospels*, with three or four copies of divine service; some containing their ordinary *Liturgy*, and others adapted to peculiar months of the year. The Greeks were now flocking hither to perform their devotions before the picture of *St. George*; and the superstition of a woman was remarkable, who prostrated her little infant at the feet of the saint, and eagerly stroking the picture endeavoured to convey some hidden blessing to the body of the child.

APRIL xxiii.

THIS morning we mounted about nine a cloek, when the Greeks were preparing for the ceremony of the day. It was pleafant to fee them flock together to the number of fome thousands, being of different sex, age, and quality; but all equally regardleſs of the dirt and rain, which then fell very plentifully. We followed them on horseback a little milc out of the village to a large turpentine tree, under the shade and covert of which they had placed the faints, which we had before obſerved in the church; and there celebrated their mass. This was no other, than what is ordinary in the rites of the Greek church; except only, that it seemed to have fome particular reference to *St. George*. It may be here proper to obſerve, that as the priest made two elevations of the elements, the one before, and the other after consecration; the people equally adored them at the former, as well as at the latter'. Before the consecration of the wine was completed, the priest mingled a little warm water in the cup, and afterwards put the *μαγιστής*, or *consecrated bread*, therein. All which he, and the deacon who assisted him, received; and after the whole ceremony one of his assistants distributed two loaves of unconfecrated bread² in little peices to the people, which they received with as

¹ This practice of the Greek church, at the first elevation of the elements, is what gives just offence both to the Roman and Reformed churches; for tho' of late they have generally embraced the doctrine of transubstantiation, yet by this act they pay a divine worship to the bread and wine even before this pretended conversion into the body and blood of *Christ*. Not but that this obſervation may be well improved to evince the novelty of this persuasion among the Greeks; and to shew, that both these ceremonies

were at first but a meer bodily respect to the elements, and implied nothing of a divine adoration.

² To such as are not conceiv'd always worthy, or ready to communicate, the Greeks after the celebration of their *Liturgy* distribute the *αἰλίδιον*, or *bread barely blessed*, but not consecrated; which they conceive to be a symbol of the body of the *Virgin Mary*, and to be given instead of that of *Christ*.

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much hurry as superstition. The congregation now break up, and carry back their saints in a tumultuous manner, one still endeavouring to catch them from another; while he that carries them, runs with what speed he can, and often strikes his head with the board, on which they are painted, as a voluntary penance for his sins.

THIS ceremony ended, we turned aside to satisfy our curiosity with the sight of the famous river *Hermus*, which flows scarce two bow's shot below the turpentine tree mentioned above. This large and noble river yeilds an entertaining sight, especially when it abates something of its usual fulness. It appears graced on each side with a sandy shelving bank. The neighbouring pastures afford abundance of tamarisk, and on the edge of the river asparagus is very plentiful. It may be observed, that as the poets of old called it the *golden*¹, so the Turks at present call it the *silver streamed Hermus*; either of which names it seems to deserve from that bright and shining sand, which its water washes. But though the sand be clear, yet the water is still thick and muddy², and well answers some epithets of that nature, which are bestowed upon it in antient poetry.

IT was now past midday, when we return to the village, and after the refreshment of a dinner prepare for our departure towards *Magnesia*. Our way thither lay through the same plain, into which we entered yesterday at one a clock; where the beauty and verdure of this campain country made amends for the great rain, which annoyed us all this day, as well at the Greek ceremony, as now in our way to *Magnesia*.

IN two hours from *St. George's* we begin to enter *Magnesia*, not without a just admiration of its delicious situation at the foot of mount *Sipylus*; from whence it was antiently called *Magnesia ad Sipylum*, to distinguish it from that other, which stood near the river *Meander*³. Having rode into the city, we began to be in distres for an house to receive us; for an uncertain recom-

¹ Nec pulcher Ganges, atque auro turbidus
Hermus,

Laudibus Italiae certent. Virg. Georg. ii. 137.

² Non illi satis est turbato sordidus auro
Hermus. Mart. L. viii. Ep. 77.

³ Liv. Lib. xxxvii. cap. 37. Circa
Magnesiam, quae ad Sipylum est, posuit
castra. Idem cap. 44. A Magnesia, quae ad
Meandrum est, et ab Epheso legati ad deder-
das urbes venerunt.

mendation, which we had hitherto over credulously relied on, we now found to have miscarried. This was observed by an *effendi*, who saw us pass under his window, and therefore courteously acquainted us by his servant, that if we wanted accommodations, we might be welcome to his house. We gladly embraced the motion, and were conducted into a garden, where we were afforded the use of a pleasure house, consisting of a large *sophá* room, a kitchen, and an open *kiosk*, with a beautiful fountain in the middle. The *effendi* himself came down, and welcomed us to our apartment, adding withall, that if we had any other friend to rely upon, he would not deprive us of a better entertainment; if not, he bid us freely make use of what this place afforded. Returning to his house he presented us with a lamb, and desired to know, if there was any thing else, with which he was capable of obliging us. By our *dragoman* he likewise informed us, that the *cadi* of the city was at that time making him a visit, before whom it might not be improper for us to shew ourselves; but at the same time not to come empty handed. According to this motion we waited upon the *cadi* with two *okes* of sugar, and as many of coffee. He received us and our present very obligingly; and upon the *effendi's* invitation, we there drank a dish of coffee in the company of several Turks, who seemed to be of the better rank, and behaved themselves gently, that is, according to the genius of this haughty people, with an agreeable mixture of civility and reservedness.

THIS ceremony performed, we returned to our garden, and there entertained ourselves at supper with just and grateful reflections on the great courtesy and hospitality of our landlord, whose name we had now learnt to be *Mahomet effendi*. His habitation is very pleasant, yet not so much for the splendid furniture of his house, as for that various and diverting prospect, whieh it commands over the plain of *Hermus*; though indeed this is an advantage, which by reason of the ascending situation of *Magnesia* is common to the meanest cottage in the city. It seemed strange to us to observe several pieces of painted glass in the windows of our *effendi's* house, inscribed in Turkish characters with the name of the proprietor, together with some religious sentences of Mahometan devotion. But we were much more surprized, when we were informed, that it was the manufacture of this place; for it is stained with a beautiful as well as deep

and durable colour, and comes up to the perfection of the best, we have seen in England. This gave us occasion to reflect on the different fortune of arts and sciences, which, like men, seem to take delight in shifting their station ; for while other arts have now left these places, and traveled westward, this alone in exchange for all the rest seems to have retired into this, and is deplored as lost in Christendom.

APRIL xxiv.

WE propose to spend this day at *Magnesia*, in order to observe what may further occur there remarkable. To this end we were favoured with the company of a *janisary* by one *Mahmút agá*, to whom this morning we made a short visit ; he being the person, to whom at first we expected to have been recommended. The *janisary* conducted us to the two principal *mosques* of the city, to a religious college of *dervises*, to a madhouse, and to an old *seraglio*, where the young princes of the Ottoman empire have formerly been educated. At the last of these there remain only the reliques of two or three rich *tiváns*, and a considerable number of stately old cypres trees, to witness the former grandeur of the place. At the madhouse we could observe nothing besides the bare walls of that hospital, and a brafs mortar lying in the yard, which seemed to be remarkable for an old Latin inscription, which it bore, signifying that *it was made at Pisa*. The religious college is a fair stone building, consisting of one quadrangle, and that encompasted with a regular cloister, which is supported with pillars of the modern Greek module. The two *mosques*, which we mentioned, are distinguished from the rest, in that they are of royal foundation, an honour which is signified by the two *minareés* belonging to them ; whereas the other eighteen, with which this city is furnished, have but one a piece. Before each of these *mosques* there is a square and regular area, containing a beautiful fountain in the middle, and enclosed on three sides with cells of religious Turks. The front of the *mosque* makes the fourth side of the square, and is itself likewise adorned with a spacious portico supported with stately pillars, of which some only are topt with modern capitals. But as the capitals of the rest are of the old Corinthian order, so all the shafts appear plainly to be antient ; some consisting of natu-

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ral and others of east artificial marble, but both the one and the other bound near the pedestal with rings of massive brass.

BEFORE we could be admitted into the inside, we were obliged to comply with the zeal of the Turks, who always leave their shoes at the entrance of their *mosques*. Here we found them both much resembling one another, excepting that one was richer than the other; and whereas the roof of the other consisted of five cupolas, the roof of this was regularly contracted into one. We had now the liberty to view several copies of their *Alcoran*, and other books of Mahometan prayers, all curiously written and adorned with golden figures. The windows are furnished with excellent painted glass, full of flower work and religious inscriptions; and from the roof hangs a multitude of lamps, together with bright balls contrived to reflect the light, all of them well ranged in a beautiful and artificial manner.

IN each of the royal *mosques* we further observed a splendid *kiblé*, which is a part separate from the body of the *mosque*, and answering to the altar of our Christian churches; it is adorned with a rich floor and gilded roof, together with carving and mosaic work on each side, but more particularly in the front, which is contrived to face *Mecca*. Immediately to the right hand of the *kiblé* stands a lofty pulpit, being fourteen steps high, and consisting of a portal, rails, and canopy, all of wrought marble. One thing was remarkable as well in these *mosques*, as in that which we afterwards saw at *Ephesus*, though we know not whether it has any mystical reference to the Turkish superstition; it is a nich in the front of the *kiblé*, on each side of which stands a fine slender pillar, hewn out of one entire stone, made without capital or pedestal, but so fixed within the work both above and below, that it remains moveable, and is turned about by the hand at pleasure.

THIS sight of *Magnesia* was our employment before dinner, but in the afternoon we all attempted to ascend the castle hill on foot; which we quickly found to be a more difficult and painful task, than we at first imagined. The way was inexpressibly steep and craggy, and cost us an hour's labour, though we made all possible speed; nor after our return could we blame the

the discretion of one of our companions, who thought fit to retire about the midway. However having at length conquered the ascent, our toil was well rewarded with the surprizing prospect of the city, and adjacent plain; in the latter of which we could distinguish the whole course of the *Hermus* for many miles together, as also the places where the *Annis Phrygius*, or *Hyllus*, joins it¹.

THE fabric of the whole castle is very strong, and the advantage of a hill, which is on all sides a mile high, must have rendered it impregnable, in an age which knew not the use of gunpowder. It was formerly fortified with a considerable number of great guns, which are now removed to the new castle, which descends the bay of *Smyrna*. Two only remain on a bastion, that fronts the city; on both which we were sorry to see the eagles of the Roman empire. No other apartment of the castle is now kept locked, except a dungeon, in which there were twelve prisoners, lately sent thither by *Osimanogli*. A sight of these miserable wretches we desired of the *agá*, nor was he so scrupulous as to deny it us. The same *agá* likewise shewed us within the precincts of the castle a poor Christian church, dedicated to the memory of *St. John*; where the Greeks meet upon the day of his feast, and are at the constant charge of two lamps, which burn there throughout the year. We had read and heard of a collection of Roman arms, reserved somewhere in this castle; tho being upon the place, nothing of this nature occurred to us. But *Solyman effendi*, a most courteous and obliging person, whom we visited this evening, as being the next neighbour, as well as brother of our landlord, assured us, that having many years since had the curiosity to ascend the castle hill, he then saw under ground the collection which we spake of, consisting of headpieces, breastplates, shields, and the like.

THE mountainous parts about *Magnesia* were antiently famous for the production of the loadstone²; tho indeed it is disparaged

¹ Καλαφέρειας δ' ὁ Πακτωλὸς εἰς Ἐφέσον, εἰς δὲ καὶ ὁ Υλλος ἐμβάλλει, νυν Φρύγιος καλέμενος. Strabo, Lib. xiii. pag. 626.

² *Magnesia ad Sipylum, a qua magnes lapis ferrum attrahens nomen fortitus est*; ut

idem a Lydia Lydius, et ab Heraclæa Heraclius dictus est. Hill in Dionys. Periegesin. Tho he seems to be mistaken in confounding this stone with the touchstone, or *lapis Lydius*.

by *Pliny*¹, and accounted less attractive, than that of other places. However this probably was the city, from whence, as *Lucretius* says, that stone took the name of *magnet*²; as from the whole country of *Lydia* the touchstone likewise was called *lapis Lydinus*³. This hint gave us the curiosity to carry a sea compass up the castle hill, where we had the satisfaction to see it point to different quarters, as we then placed it upon different stones, and quickly after intirely to lose its whole virtue; two effects which are natural to the magnetic needle, when injured by the nearness of other bodies impregnated with the same quality.

LATE in the evening we were now preparing for repose, and endavouring to forget the fatigue of the castle hill; when *Solyman effendi*, having laid aside the badges of his character, and put on a more familiar temper, returned our visit. We doubted not from the change of his habit, and the unseasonableness of the hour, but he came to break a Mahometan commandment, and *steal his kief* (as the Turks pleasantly express it) in the juice of the forbidden grape⁴. This was a tedious and ungrateful task, with which nevertheless, by reason of his own and his brother's great civility, some of our company were forced to comply. Nor had the wine he freely drank its desired effect, till towards two a clock in the morning.

APRIL XXV.

WE begin to rise by five this morning, and after dispatching our baggage take leave of *Mahomet effendi*, to whose singular humanity and hospitality we had hitherto been so much obliged. As we were riding thro the city, it was pleasant to recollect something of the ancient history of this place, whose present state we had seen the day before. It there occurred to us, that this was that *Magnesia*, which of all the Asian cities⁵ made the first submission to the Roman arms, after the defeat of *Antiochus* by *Scipio*.

¹ Nat. Hist. Lib. xxxvi. cap. 16.

passim; quem alii *Lydium*, alii *Heraeum*

² *Lapis hic ut ferrum ducere posse*, *Quem magneta vocant patrio de nomine Graii*,

vocant. Plin. Lib. xxxviii. cap. 8.

Magnetum quia sit patriis in finibus ortus.

³ Like what *Aristides* says: Ο φίλον ζητάται ζηπαρ, ει μηδείς αὐτῷ τύχοι, σωσέται. Orat. Platonic. prim. pag. 182. edit.

L. vi. §. 608.

P. Steph.

⁴ *Auri argenteique mentionem comitatur lapis, quem coticulam appellant; quondam non solitus inveniri nisi in flumine Imolo, nunc vero*

⁵ Liv. Lib. xxxvii. cap. 44. *Legati ab Thyatira et Magnesia ad Sipylum ad reddendas*

This likewise was that *Magnesia*, which entered into a league offensive and defensive with the city of *Smyrna* in the reign of *Selucus* son of *Antiochus Theus*, whereby the inhabitants of the one were mutually made free of the other city; and whereas public monuments of this confederacy were by agreement of both parties to be erected in different places, one of them, which was set up by the *Smyrneans*, is now to be seen in the gallery at *Oxford*, inscribed on a large flat marble pillar¹.

THERE now scarce occur any reliques of antiquity in *Magnesia*, except that we observed several Ionic and Corinthian pillars in the court of an old *mosque*, held in great veneration by the Turks for the burial of *Hasanogli*, a person famous in the history of that nation. Over one of the entrances into the same court there is to be seen a broken inscription of an antient heathen temple, tho too high to be now legible; and on a stone step, placed before the principal *mosque* of the city, we could read among other decayed words ΚΑΙΣΑΡΙ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΩ. The following inscription likewise is of no contemptible antiquity, which we found on a stone now lying in the staircase of the abovementioned *Solyman ef-fendi*.

ΣΤΑΤΙΟ ΚΩΔΡΑΤΩ ΑΝΘΎΠΑΤΩ² ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΣ ΔΙΟΓΝΙΤΟΥ ΕΠΕΣΚΕΤΑΣΕ ΤΟ ΜΝΗΜΕΙΟΝ ΕΑΥΤΩ ΚΑΙ ΤΟΙΣ ΙΔΙΟΙΣ ΕΚΓΟΝΟΙΣ ΜΗΔΕΝΙ ΔΕ ΕΞΕΣΤΩ ΑΠΑΛΛΟΤΡΙΩΣΑΙ ΑΥΤΟ ΕΚ ΤΟΥ ΓΕΝΟΥΣ ΜΟΥ ΕΑΝ ΔΕ ΤΙΣ ΑΠΑΛΛΟΤΡΙΩΣΗ ΤΠΕΥΤΥΝΟΣ ΕΣΤΩ ΕΙΣ ΤΟΝ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ ΦΙΣΚΟΝ X. P. 5.

das urbes venerunt, says this historian, immediately after the action betwixt *Scipio* and *Antiochus*. This action is at large described by *Appian* as well as *Livy*, as happening betwixt *Thyatira* and *Sardis*, upon the banks of the *Annis Phrygius*, near *Magnesia ad Sipylum*; which is not the *Hermus* (as some have thought) but a river running into the *Hermus*, which *Homer* and *Herodotus* call *Hyllus*, as *Strabo* relates in the passage cited above, p. 9.

¹ See *Marm. Oxon.* ed. ab H. Prid. pag. 1.

² This *Statius Quadratus* was that very proconsul, in whose presence, and by whose authority, *St. Polycarp*, bishop of *Smyrna*, was burnt alive in the amphitheatre of that city. His name is falsely written *Tatios K.* in the *Alexandrian Chronicle*, and *Στράτιος* in

the *Epistle of the church of Smyrna*. But this stone confirms that correction, which has been made by *bishop Pearson* and *Valesius*. It likewise favours that learned argument maintained by *bishop Pearson*, *Dissert. ii. cap. xvi. xvii. pag. 291*, by which he places this proconsulship and the martyrdom of *St. Polycarp* in the tenth year of *Antoninus Pius*, A. C. 147. For in the fourth year of *M. Antoninus*, to which the *Alexandrian Chronicle* refers it; as also in the year 167, to which it is referred by *Eusebius* and *Valesius*; there were two *Caeſars*, concerning whom *Entropius* says: *Tunc primum Rom. respublica duobus aequo jure imperium administrantibus paruit, cum usque ad eum singulos semper habuisset Auguſtos.* *Lib. viii. cap. 5.* But this inscription mentions only one *Caeſar*,

The said *effendi* not only civilly informed us of this stone, but when we had transcribed the words, he proffered to send it after us to *Smyrna*; adding, that if it was any piece of sanctity, he was unwilling it should remain there to be trampled under foot.

DESIGNING from hence for *Durgubli*, we continue our journey under the foot of *Sipylus*, which about two hours from the city ends in a stupendous precipice, consisting of a naked masty stone, and rising perpendicularly almost a furlong high. It was not a little surprizing, as we rode along under the foot of this hill, to observe a certain cliff of the rock, representing an exact nich and statue, with the due shape and proportion of an human body. For *Sipylus* being the seat of the transformation of the unhappy *Niobe*¹, there was ground of imagining, that we had either met with her statue, or with that which was the first occasion of the fable; at least it was not improbable, that this was the work of some ancient inhabitants of this place, who pleased themselves in fashioning the natural rock into such a figure, as might preserve the tradition of this celebrated poetic fiction.

NOT far from hence we begin to leave the mountain on our right hand, having the stream of the *Hermus* in view on the left; and at a large distance before us the snowy top of the mountain *Tmolus*. Our road now lay thro a verdant and delightful plain, enriched by many advantages of nature, and not negligently manured by the inhabitants. About the fourth hour of this day's journey we passed a bridge, erected over a large river; which, as those of the country informed us, is now called *Niphii*, or *Nymbe*, and may probably be the *Cyros* mentioned by *Pliny*, as one of the

far, in the singular number. And as for that *Quadratus*, whom *Bucherius* and *Uferius* will have proconsul in *Asia* in the year 169, his name was not *Statius*, but *T. Numidius*. See also mention of *Quadratus* in *Aristidis Orat. Genethliaic. in Apollam*; and in his *Sermon. Sacr. iv.*

¹ Καὶ γὰρ τὸν οὐρανὸν Νιόβην ἐμνήσατο σίτε, εtc. Νῦν δέ περ ἐν πίτησιν, ἐν δέσποιν οἰοπόλοισιν, Τίν Σιπύλην, δῆθας Θεάων ἴμμεναι δύναται Νυμφάων, αἵτινες ἀμφὶ Ἀχελῷον ἔρχονται, Εἴθε, λιθὸς περί ἐνσα, θεῶν ἐν κηδεῖα πέσασι. *Hem. Iliad. v. 602.* On which passage

the *Scholia*, usually ascribed to *Didymus*, have the following remark: Θεηνῆσαν δὲ τὴν Νιόβην ὄφατως τὸ πιᾶτεν δυσύχημα, Ζδές ἐλεγόσας εἰς λίθον μετέβαλεν, ὃς ἡ μέκρε νῦν ἐν Σιπύλῃ τῆς Φρυγίας ὄφαται πατῶν πηγὰς δαργύνων προερχόμενος. And *Pausanias. Attic. Lib. i. cap. 21.* says: Ταῦτη τὴν Νιόβην καὶ αὗτης ἔδει αἰετῶν εἰς τὸ Σιπύλον τοῦ ὄφου. Ήδε πληνοῦσα μήδη πέτρα ποτὲ κερματός ἐσιν, ὁδεν παρόντι χρῆμα παρεχόμενον γυναικός, ὅπερ ἀλλως, ἔτε πειθόντος εἰ δέ γε ποιήσεται γένοιο, δεδακρυμένη δέξεις ὄφαν κατηφῆ γυναικα.

streams that feed the *Hermus*¹. From this bridge the road lies thro a les fertile plain, till within the neighbourhood of *Durguthli* it is again better cultivated, and appropriated to the production of cottons. Near our entrance into the town we cross a broad and sandy chanel, which in the winter season conveys no inconsiderable current into the *Hermus*. We had here no other to rely upon, than the accommodations of a public *kane*, where, after we had fixed our lodgings, we found that we had arrived in six hours from *Magnesia*; tho an hour is to be deducted for the rests, which we were obliged to make for the security of our mules.

DURGUTHLI is a town purely of Turkish fabric, and therefore has nothing to entertain the curiosit of any traveler, besides the management of cotton wool; which is here prepared in great abundance, and so transmitted to the market of *Smyrna*. As to this we observed, that they first sift it from the dust and other refuse, which it contracts in gathering, in a large wicker wheel; after this they separate the wool from the cod, in which it grows; and at last they work it betwixt a wooden and iron roller, which spinning upon one another in a rapid motion draw in the wool, and leave the seed behind.

WALKING up and down about the limits of our *kane*, we were accosted by a Turk, who spake good Italian. He had been many years a slave in *Legorn*, where he was a witness to the riches and splendor of Italy, and other parts of Christendom. This gave him occasion to express a just indignation against the haughty ignorance of the Turks; who, tho they want all advantages of art, and appearance of true magnificence, yet have the vanity to despise other nations, who enjoy both to a great perfection. In other discourse with an Armenian priest we were informed of a church, which by a peculiar grant of the *Grand Signior* that nation had newly founded in *Durguthli*. This was an instance, which seemed to us observable; for tho Christianity is tolerated in Turkey, yet they hold it inconsistent with their law to permit the erection of any new churches, and allow only the liberty of repairing old ones.

¹ Plin. Lib. v. cap. 29. *A Smyrna Her-mus annis campos facit, et nomini suo adop-tat; oritur juxta Dorglaeum Phrygiae civi-tatem, multosque colligit fluvios, inter quos Hyllum et Cryon.*

WE parted in the close of the evening, and repaired in good health to our respective lodgings. But about two in the morning one of our company awaked under an indisposition, which by degrees grew into a severe and dangerous sickness; tho by timely opening a vein, and after that enjoying a little repose, he recovered to the great satisfaction of the whole company. However this discouraged us from proceeding, till another night's rest should confirm his health. Being thus detained a day at *Dur-gubli*, we were informed of some antiquities to be seen among the Armenian graves, on a mount adjoining to the town; whither when we had repaired, we found a curious piece of *basso relievō*, brought, as they said, from *Sardis*. But no antient inscriptions appeared there, except these imperfect words on a marble tombstone.

.. ΤΡΙΛΙΩ ΚΟΤΤ ... Μ... ΣΑ ΑΛΕΞΙΝΟΟΤ ... Ω ΕΚΤ .
ΔΙΑΤΑΓΗΣ ΚΑΡΜΟΥ ΤΩ ΙΔΙΩ ΦΙΛΩ ... ΕΤΕΡΓΕΤΗ

APRIL xxvii.

RISING early this morning all of us, God be thanked, in perfect health, we still resolve to enlarge our circuit; whence Mr. Coventry and Mr. Frye apprehending too long a journey, determined to return to *Smyrna*. The remaining part of our company proceed by break of day in the road for *Sardis*. Just before we arrive at the fountain on our right hand, about half an hour from our *conack*, lies the village of *Ishmaeljá*. And in an hour and an half from thence we observe *Urgánhui* on the left. We continue our journey thro a spacious and fertile plain, curiously beset on each side the road with variety of round hillocks, which from their number, figure, and situation, in so level a campain, appear plainly to be artificial. They are undoubtedly the work of one or more numerous armies; but whether they were at first designed to bury their heaps of slain¹ (which was the original of those barrows¹, that occur in many plains of England) or whether

¹ See mention of these by *Herodian*, under the name of *πολυάρθγια*, in his description of that massacre of the Alexandrians by Caracalla, *Lib. iv. cap. 17. edit. Oxon.*

¹ The sense of the word *barrows* or *burroughs* is by *Verstegan* deduced from *burying*, and therefore well answers the Greek *πολυάρθγια*. *Chap. vii. p. 211.*

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they were erected as thrones before the pavilion of the general, which was usual in the Roman camp¹, is not easy to determine.

ABOUT the fourth hour crossing a small river we have the village of *Baricle* on the left hand, and larger than that, the village of *Achmetcléar* on the right. Not far from hence the road divides into two paths for *Sardis*. The lower of these we chose, tho declining a little too much to the left hand, and so passing by a few cottages, which are called by the name of *Zericle*, we arrive in feven hours at *Sardis*, one of which is now likewise to be deducted for the stay, which our mules occasioned.

INSTEAD of that *Sardis*, which antiently was the seat of the kings of *Lydia*, afterwards in great renown, under the Persian, Grecian, and Roman Empires, and at last honoured with the title of a Metropolitan Christian church; we now find in the same place, at the foot of mount *Tmolus*, a small Turkish village by the name of *Sart*. We here had the liberty of a ruinous inconvenient *kane*, erected in this place for the service of *caraváns* from Persia; but we much rather embraced the opportunity of pitching our tents under the covert of a few plane trees, which spread a cool and grateful shade upon the bank of *Pactolus*. This river is constantly mentioned as rising in *Tmolus*, and washing the Walls of *Sardis*, particularly it is said by *Herodotus* to run thro the very market place of the antient city². Its chanel does not now appear to be considerable, yet it deserved our particular notice for the fame of its golden streams; a story celebrated not more by poets³ than historians, the latter of whom have imagined this to be the treasure, whence *Croesus* and his ancestors collected that mighty wealth.

BEFORE the cool of the evening we visited the ruins of this once flourishing city; and towards the western part observed the standing walls of two or three spacious and lofty rooms, not un-

¹ Thus *Lucan*, *Stetit aggere fulius Cespitis*. Lib. v. § 316.

And *Tacitus*, *Annal.* L. i. cap. 17. *Congerunt cespites*. See *Lipsi* not.

² "Ος εφε φῆγμα χρυσοῦ καταφορίων ἐκ τῆς Τμόλης μέσος τῆς αγροῦς σίτη, καὶ τοιαῦτα οὐδὲν Εὔπορος ποταμὸν εἰδεῖσθαι, δέ τις εἰς θάλασσαν. Lib. v. cap. 101. And *Strabo* says, *Lib. xiii.*

p. 625. Πάντα δὲ οἱ Παχτωλὸι λόγοι τῆς Τμόλης, καταφίζουν τὸ σπάλαιν τὸν Χρυσοῦς φῆγμα ποτὸν· αἵρεται τὸν Κροτοναῖον λεγόμενον αλάτον, καὶ τὰς προσογύνεις αὐτῶν διονομασθῆναι Φασι.

³ *Passeaque ab auriferis tellus exire metallis Pactoloni, qua culta fecat non virior Hermus.* Lucan, Lib. iii. § 209.

worthy the palace of the antient kings of *Lydia*. They were all arched towards the foundation, and adorned as well as strengthened at each corner with hewn stone ; but the main part of the fabric consisted of a broad and durable brick, which is likewise observable in most of the antient ruins of *Asia Minor*. From hence we passed thro heaps of rubbish, and tracks of continued foundations, to the eastern part of the city ; where stand the pillars and front of another spacious building, the figure and situation of which persuaded us, that they were the remains of the cathedral church. A little southerly from hence we viewed the full extent of another stately room, which however antient it might be, was nevertheless raised out of ruins more antient than itself ; as appeared from several rich pillars, and architraves, confusedly placed among the rubbish of the walls. About the distance of a furlong, full south of the antient city, are to be seen the beautiful remains not of an amphitheatre, as has been supposed, but rather of some royal palace. Here we observed six lofty Ionic pillars, all of them still intire, except that the capital of one is distorted by an earthquake. There adjoins to them a fair and magnificent portal, the pilasters of which, being about twenty feet high, and twelve feet distant from each other, are joined at the top by one entire stone, which, by what art or force it was there erected, is difficult to conceive ; for tho *Pliny*¹ pretends to account for the like difficulty in the architecture of the temple of *Ephesus*, yet that passage gives but little satisfaction in the matter. There occurs nothing else, that is remarkable about *Sardis*, besides the broken walls of the castle on an adjoining hill ; the ascent and prospect of which, however magnified by Sir *Paul Rycart*, we yet thought so inferior, to what we lately had sound at *Magnesia*, that it could not raise our curiosity to undertake the climbing of that precipice, especially since we could promise ourselves the same prospect to a greater advantage from the top of *Tmolus* ; and as for two or three broken inscriptions, which are there extant, we were content to peruse them in Dr. *Smith's* printed *Journal*².

¹ Lib. xxxvi. cap. 14. *Summa miracula, flections upon antient and modern learning, epistylia tantae molis attolli potuisse, etc.* See pag. 67. edit. 1694.
mention of this difficulty in Wotton's Re-² *Epistolae quatuor*, pag. 136, 137.

APRIL xxviii.

WE had now determined our course for Birghéé, towards which our way lay over the mountain *Tmolus*. In pursuance of this design we mounted quickly after three this morning, and by that time it was full day we had ascended the first edge of the hill, where we halted to enjoy the entertaining prospect of the plain of *Sardis*. We had here the opportunity of viewing the castle hill, the antient seat of the city, the whole course of the *Hermus*¹, and the full extent of the *Gygaeæ lake*, about five miles in length, and three in breadth, mentioned in all antient accounts of *Sardis*; but what renders it most remarkable, celebrated of old by *Homer*², and well described by *Strabo* to be about forty furlongs from the city³. This sight had now highly satisfied our curiosity, when we turn to the right hand more into the body of the hill, and contrary to our expectation rarely encounter any difficult ascent, by reason of the artificial windings of the way.

TMOLUS is in general so pleasant, that it was easy to conceive ourselves in a theatre, where the scene changes every half hour; for sometimes we were surprized with an impending rock, sometimes with a perpendicular precipice, and sometimes with the murmurs of a falling brook; the whole being curiously garnished with trees, shrubs, and herbs of an infinite variety.

IN four hours we had at length conquered the highest eminence of the mountain, whence we continue our journey thro a fruitful vale, enclosed on each side with two losty ridges of the hill. On each of these remains a large quantity of snow, which, as it gradually melts, supplies a rapid current, that descends hence into *Pastolus*. It was observable, that the air of the whole vale was chilled to that degree by the neighbouring snows, that it was still winter in this place; nor could we here discern any buds or leaves on the same sorts of trees, which we had seen green and flourishing on the kinder parts of the mountain.

¹ "Ερμός, says *Strabo*, Lib. xiii. pag. 626.
εξ ὅρους ἵερος τῆς Δινδυμένης εἰς τὴν Σαρδιανὴν Φέ-
γελαι, κατὰ τὰ συνεχῆ πεδιά, μέχει τῆς Θα-
λατῆς.

² *Iliad.* C. y 863. Τῷ Γυγαίν τίκε λίμνη,

Οἱ καὶ Μήσορες ἥλοι ύπαծ Τμώλῳ γεγαῖται.
³ Εὐ δὲ στάδιοι τεσσαράκοντα αἴρο τῆς πό-
λεως εἴσιν η Γυγαία μὲν ύπαծ τῇ ποιτεῇ λεγομένη.
Strab. ubi supra.

THIS cool and refreshing vale lasted an hour, after which we begin to descend the hill by a more steep and dangerous way, than we before had mounted ; but nothing was more disagreeable, than so sensible a change of air, which we now experienced, being as it were at once translated out of the frigid into the torrid zone. Such was the difference betwixt the valley we had left, and the southern part of the hill we were now traveling. This heat being added to the laborious and tedious circuits, without which the descent was absolutely impossible, brought us at length by one of the clock almost half dead to Birghée. Nor were we capable of being refreshed, either with the remembrance of that pleasant mountain, we had passed ; or with the view of the Caÿstrian plain, which we had then before us.

THE rich products of mount *Tmolus* ought not here to be forgot¹, which nature has furnished with that store and variety of plants, that it may deservedly be termed the *physic garden* of the universe. The valley, which we mentioned, is enriched with a vein of marble, clear and pellucid enough to contend with alabaster. Nor is it to be neglected, that on the southern descent of the hill we traveled over a continued track of stone, adorned with bright and shining particles resembling gold dust ; the occasion most probably of so many splendid epithets, which in ancient poetry are bestowed on the *Pactólus*.

BIRGHÉE is a fair and considerable Turkish town, adorned with two very handsome mosques ; and pleasantly seated in the road from *Sardis*, at the opposite foot of *Tmolus*. This makes it probable, it was the *Hypaepae* of the antients, that situation exactly answering to the description, which *Ovid* and *Strabo* have left us of it². We were here received into a public *kane*, where we enjoyed an hearty and entire repose ; tho sweetened rather by the fatigue of the foregoing day, than any entertainment or accommodation of the place.

¹ Τπέρχεται τῶν Σάρδιων ὁ Τμῶλος, εὐδαιμόν
οἶστος. Strabo, Lib. xiii. pag. 625.
² Ovid. Met. Lib. xi. l. 150. Rigit ar-
duus alto
Tmolus in ascensu; clivoque extensus utroque

Sardibus hinc, illinc parvis finitur Hypaepis.
Τπαιπα δὲ πόλις ἐστι καλαβαλυστιν ἀπὸ τῆ
Τμῶλος εἰς τὸ τῆ Καύσης πεδίον. Lib.
xiii. pag. 627.

APRIL XXIX.

We continued our journey by four a clock this morning thro the Cäystrian plain for Tyria, and had the satisfaction of fording that celebrated river about three hours from our *conâck*. Not far from hence we found a stone bridge of three considerable arches, built directly along the bank of the river ; and therefore now serving to no other purpose, but only to witness that the stream had changed its channel. Our way lay from hence near the course of the Cäyster, thro a fertile and well cultivated champaign ; a place inexpressibly delicious, and which can be equalled by nothing, but the sweetness of that immortal verse :

'Ασιώ ἐν λειμῶνι Καῦσερίς αἷμφι ρέεθεα. Iliad. β'. § 461.

Or those of Virgil :

*Pelagi volucres, et quae Asia circum
Dulcibus in stagnis rimantur prata Cäystri.* Georg. i. 384.

It is inhabited by frequent villages, and enclosed on both sides with two high and snowy mountains, namely *Tmolus* on the right hand, and on the left what *Strabo* calls *Μεσογειότης*¹, or the *Midland hills*.

SOON after eleven a clock we arrived at Tyria, and conâcked in an old, dirty, ruinous *kane* ; having by this time learnt, that the weary and thirsty traveler must repine at no reception, which he meets with in Turkey. Tyria yeilds a pleasant prospect, as we ride into the city, gently ascending from the adjacent plain. The buildings are curiously intermixt with trees and gardens, which extend the circuit of the place ; tho the number of its houses seems inferior to that of *Smyrna*. We counted about fourteen *mosques*, one of which we observed to be royal, that is, adorned with a double *minaré*. Having entered the town we found the streets negligently kept, and meanly built; but at the same time populous enough, not without the appearance of a considerable trade. It is to be wondered that so large a city, standing in the

¹ Ο μήν γε Τμόλος ικανῶς συνῆσαι, καὶ p. 629. And a little after : Τῷ δὲ Καῦσερ-περιγραφὴν ἔχει μέλειαν, ἐν αὐτοῖς αἴθοργόμενος αὐτῷ πεδίῳ μέλαξν πίπτοσι τῆς τε Μεσογειότητος, τοῖς Λυδίοις μέρεσιν. οὐ δὲ μεσόγαιος εἰς τὸ καὶ τῷ Τμόλῳ, ευρεχέσθαι πρός τοῦ Κιλικίαν μέρος διάτεται μέχρι Μυκάδων. L.XIII. Giaour πεδίον.

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very heart of Asia, should have no remains of antiquity¹. There are indeed two Greek churches in the place, where the poor ignorant priests would persuade both themselves and us, that this was the antient *Thyatira*; but we thought it not fit to rob them of the satisfaction of this error, nor puzzle them with any accounts of antient geography, or late experience, that evince the contrary.

IT is pretended in some journals, that two or three valuable inscriptions are to be found in these churches, tho we were now eye witnesses of the contrary; for there occur'd nothing in that, which they call the Metropolitan church, but a defaced monument, whereon no intelligible words were to be read, except ΧΡΗΣΤΕ ΧΑΙΡΕ. Over the entrance of the other there is a piece of devotion, written in modern characters: but more remarkable, in the body of the wall stands a large image of our *Savior*, elegantly carved in porphyry; tho it now appears rudely mangled, and seems to have felt the fury of the old angry *iconoclastae*. In the hand is portrayed an open book, inscribed with this sentence out of *St. John's Gospel*, viii. 12. Ἐγώ εἰμι τὸ φῶς τῆς κόσμου. This was an instance, which may perhaps appear to be singular, at least it is contrary to the general practice, as well as persuasion of the Greek church; for tho they have a superstitious fondness for religious pictures, yet they abhor all imagery in *relievo*, and look upon it as inclining to heathenism and idolatry.

APRIL XXX.

By six this morning we set forward from *Tyria* in our way for *Ephesus*, and passing thro the extreme skirt of the city, we observe the inscription of an antient stone coffin, now converted by the Turks to supply the use of a cistern. It has been defaced towards the upper parts of the chest, and permitted us to read only these following words:

..... Η ΣΟΡΟΣ ΦΛΑΒΙΑΝΩ
 ΟΥΔΕΝΙ Ε ΑΙ ΜΕΤΑ
 ΚΟΜΙΣ ... ΜΑ .. ΕΝ .. ΤΟ .. ΤΟΛΜΗΣΑΣ ΤΙ ΤΟΙΟΥ-
 ΤΟ ΤΙΣΕΙ ΤΩ ΙΕΡΩΤΑΤΩ ΤΑΜΕΙΩ *

¹ The modern name *Tyria* well answers to the antient *Tυριανόν*, which Xenophon mentions as a well inhabited city, not far from Καύκενδιον. *De expedit. Cyri*, L. i.

ΤΑΙΔΕ ΤΗΣ ΣΟΡΟΥ ΙΟΥΝΙΟΣ ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΣ ΚΑΙ ΠΟΤΑΜΩΝ ΚΑΙ ΚΛΗΡΟΝΟΜΟΙ ΑΥΤΩΝ ΖΩΣΙΝ ΤΑΤΤΗΣ ΕΠΙΓΡΑΦΗΣ ΑΝΤΙΓΡΑΦΟΝ ΑΝΕΤΕΘΗ ΕΙΣ ΤΟ ΕΝ ΕΦΕΣΩ ΑΡΧΕΙΟΝ

UPON the borders of the road, about a mile from *Tyria*, there stands a commodious fountain, and adjoining thereto a pleasant country house; where, as we staid to drink, an hospitable old Turk offered us the entertainment of the place. We were then obliged to refuse the favour, but not without a fresh regret at the inconveniency of our last night's lodging, when we might have easily passed on to this advantagous *conáck*.

WE hence travel some hours in a narrow and almost deserted vale, the *Cayster* still flowing on our right hand; till about one o'clock we draw near to the extreme edge of the *Alymán*, a large mountain lying betwixt the city of *Ephesus* and the village of *Giamobasy*, and here ending in an abrupt precipice; on the top of which stands an old castle now converted, as is said, into a college of *dervises*. Near this place the *Cayster* mingles with a large and muddy lake, which most probably was the *Stagnum Pegasaeum*, mentioned by *Pliny*¹, as having communication with this river. The *Alymán* we take to be the *Mons Gallesius* of the antients²; since the *Mimas*³, for which some have lately mistaken it, is the highest part of *Erythræa*, or that cape land, which encloses the bay of *Smyrna*.

WE now thought it more advisable not to reach *Ephesus* till the cool of the morning, but to pass this evening at *Kirkingécui*, a Christian village, lying near two hours to the east of the city. In search of this place our guide unfortunately led us to the left

¹ Lib. v. cap. 29. *Ephesus alluitur Ciystro, in Cibianis jugis orto, multisque annis deferente, et stagnum Pegasaeum, quod Phryrites annis expellit.*

² This is plain from *Strabo*, who having finished his account of *Ephesus*, and proceeding from thence towards *Smyrna*, says, Εἴτα τοῦ Γαλλήσιον ὅρος, καὶ οὐ Κολοφῶν, etc. Lib. xiv. pag. 642.

³ This likewise appears from *Strabo*, who tells us, that betwixt *Erythræa*, or the western part of that cape land, and the *isthmus*, which joins the same cape land to the continent, stands the mountain *Mimas*. Μέταξυ τῶν Ἐρυθρῶν καὶ τῆς ὑποκεράντας Μίμας ἐσιν, οὗτος οὐ φηλόν. *Ibid.* pag. 645.

of the above mentioned lake, up a steep craggy and almost impassable mountain; which when with great difficulty we had conquered, and descended in a way almost as tedious on the other side, we were acquainted by a traveler, that we were out of our road either to *Ephesus* or *Kirkingécui*. This struck a damp upon our spirits, being now obliged to tread back so many unwelcome steps in the heat of the day, despair of all present refreshment, and fearful apprehensions of the miscarriage of our mules. It was therefore voted necessary to hire the above mentioned traveler to conduct us to our village, who accordingly led us by a long and tedious way almost under the castle of *Ephesus*. But from hence we had an hour and an half of pleasant and diverting riding, betwixt two shelving hills, watered at the bottom with a purling brook; whilst on each side we were entertained with a shady scene of bays, myrtle, oleander, Spanish broom, the plane tree, Judas tree, the strawberry tree, lilach tree, and a multitude of other delightful greens. The frequent stops and misfortunes of this day's journey had made it almost eight a clock, when we arrived at *Kirkingécui*; where to our incredible satisfaction we found our tents already pitched by our muliteers, who by an unknown and unbeaten path, over two or three mountains, had at last fallen upon the village, more by good fortune than any conduct of their own.

MAY i. 1699.

THE village of *Kirkingécui* is intirely Christian, and supposed to be the miserable remains of the church of *Ephesus*. The *παπᾶς*, or *priest*, here pretended to shew us a venerable manuscript of the *Evangelists*, wrote, as he said, by *Prochorus*, one of the *seven deacons*, mentioned in the *Acts of the Apostles*¹. Upon inspection the character indeed appeared antient, and possibly may be that of the sixth or seventh century; but the book itself is nothing else but a *Lectionarium*, or *Copy of the Gospels*, so portioned into lessons, according to the ritual of the Greek church, that, begining at *St. John* on Easter day, the four *Evangelists* are read out by the return of the year. The sight of that manuscript, and of the small parish church, was the busines of this morning; after which we descended by the same pleasant road, which

¹ Chap. vi. ¶ 5. *De Joannis autographo, Ephesi servato, vid. Pfaffi Dissert. p. 154.*
we

we had traveled last night, and so arriving about ten a clock we take possession of the public *kane* at *Ephesus*¹.

THE once glorious and renowned *Ephesus* was seated in a fruitful vale, encompassed almost round with mountains², at a small distance from the *Cayster*, and about five miles eastward from cape *Trogilium*; where, at the common charge of all *Ionia*, the *Panionia*, or common councils of *Ionia*, were formerly celebrated. This vale rises advantagously in the middle with two or three little hills³, on which the several parts of the antient city lay extended. The same spot of ground is still covered with the rich remains of its former glory. Such are the massy walls, the portals, the arches, the aqueducts, the marble chests, together with the dejected cornishes, shafts, and capitals of many losty pillars. But the face of the whole yeilds a melancholy and disagreeable prospect, being overrun with an incredible quantity of rank and luxuriant weeds, which serve only to corrupt the air, and to conceal the curiosities of the place. This we found to be a disadvantageous circumstance, and such as doubled the labour of this day in compassing the circuit of the city, and tracing the uncertain footsteps of so many valuable antiquities. But because these cannot so intelligibly be represented in the order, in which we viewed them, we shall methodically consider *Ephesus*, as lying in three distinct ruins of a Turkish, Christian, and Heathen city.

THE freshest ruins of this place appear to be Turkish, and such as witness, that it has been in considerable repute even under its last barbarous conqueror; who also has changed the name of *Ephesus* into that of *Aiasalick*. Here are to be seen the remains of five or six mosques, besides one which is still used for Mahometan service. In several places there occur the walls of ruined bagnios, tho they are incredibly increas'd by the fabulous Turks, and reported to have been here to the number of three hundred and sixty six. But that, which most plainly evidences the late riches of the place, are the many beautiful monuments, which we viewed among their burying places, most of them inscribed with fair Turkish characters. Tis observable, that these are cut

¹ Οἱ δὲ Ἐφέσοις εἰς Σάρδες εἶναι τετραγωνός πολις πεντακόσιοι σάρδιαι. Herodot. Lib. v. cap. 54.

² The mountains, that enclose the city and plain of *Ephesus*, are *Galleius* to the north, *Mycale* to the south, and *Paessas* to the east.

³ *Ephesus attollitur monte Pione, alluitur Caystro.* Plin. Lib. v. cap. 29.

rising from the plane of the stone, and not indented within the surface; which is the constant fashion of the Turks in all their public monuments, in opposition to the custom of other times and nations. It is nor certain, whether the new castle, which stands to the northward of the old citadel, be of Grecian or Turkish fabric; however it is still kept in repair by the Turks, and filled within the circuit of the walls with fifty or sixty small cottages, which with two or three scattering tenements are the only habitations of the present *Ephesus*.

FOR such monuments of Christianity, as are here visited by travelers, we are beholden to the tradition of the neighbouring Christians; who shew the place of *St. Mark's* and *St. Paul's* church, together with the standing walls of that dedicated to *St. John*; which last apostle, returning from his banishment in *Patmos* upon the death of *Domitian*, lived, and died, and was interred at *Ephesus*¹. The church of *St. John*, tho' still entire, is however miserably transformed, and converted into the profane use of a Turkish *mosque*. Like all other *mosques* of the better fashion, it has a square and spacious yard on the north side, with three different entrances belonging to it. Those to the east and west are reasonably well beautified, being adorned above the portals with curious Turkish sculptures, and materials of rich polished marble. From this yard we enter the *mosque* by five wooden doors, all of which are carved to an exquisite perfection. Within appear a splendid pulpit and *kiblé*, both consisting of wrought marble, and the latter more particularly imbellished with painting and gilding of great art and variety. But what are most justly admired and celebrated by all, who have traveled hither, are the four pillars of granate marble, standing in a right line from east to west, and supporting two cupolas, that compose the roof. They are so far disproportioned, that the least is almost three, and the biggest near four feet diameter; besides which the pedestals of some are quite covered with the floor, and all besides one, which is of the compound order, have lost their antient capitals. All these are circumstances, which unanswerably demonstrate, that these pillars are now transported from their first places. And in truth, when the whole fabric is diligently compared with all other Turkish *mosques*, and this consideration further added, that

¹ Concerning this church see *Procopii* where it is said to have been rebuilt by an *ερδα*, p. 12. and *Iesu. Ηγρα.* pag. 45, order from *Justinian*.

there appears no sign of an altar to the east, or door to the west end; it will be more than probable, that nothing but the southern wall can be the remains of a Christian church. About a mile to the south west of this place, and in the midst of the ancient city, stands an high wall, and adjoining thereto a stately gatehouse, in which are these words, most curiously engraven:

.... ACCENSO

.... RENSI ET ASIAE ...

Together with this imperfect inscription are to be seen the defaced figure of a man on horseback, and another of a serpent twisted round a tree. This is by most adjudged to be a Christian ruin; and indeed if we consider its beauty and grandeur, as it can be no very modern building, so by reason of its misplaced carvings and inverted inscriptions it cannot be very antient; but may conveniently be referred to those times, in which Christianity began to flourish here. And after this there will be room to put in another conjecture, and to guess from the stateliness of the fabric, that it might be the place, where that famous general council of almost two hundred bishops condemned the heresy of *Nestorius*, in the year four hundred thirty one; tho his errors are still living among the Indians and Chaldeans, two sects which are numerous in the eastern parts of *Asia*¹. Those other Christian monuments, which are commonly shewn at *Ephesus*, are merely fabulous; and serve only to cheat and abuse the curiosity of many travelers, who undergo no little pains and difficulty in coming hither. Such are the *cave of the seven sleepers*; the *font*, in which *St. John* is said to have baptized so many primitive Christians; and a square watch tower, which ordinarily goes by the name of *St. Paul's prison*. This last stands upon a small hill, about a mile nearer the sea, than was the *temple of Diana*; and is indeed worth visiting by those, who have not so much superstition or credulity; for its situation gives a commanding prospect over the stream of the *Cayster*, which here seems to rival the *Maeander*, and plays with many wanton windings in the adjoining plain.

THE chief heathen antiquities, that are to be seen at *Ephesus*, are the remainder of the *old citadel*, and the foundation of the

¹ See F. Simon's *Histoire critique de la creance et des coutumes des nations du Levant*, chap. 7, 8.

temple of Diana. The former of these is an intire gate, with two broken walls adjoining on each side, which being situated on a convenient ascent, towards the north east of the antient city, most probably was a fort or citadel, that defended it on that quarter. This gatehouse has the marks of considerable antiquity, tho it has been rebuilt from other more antient ruins; as is evident from some misplaced stones, and broken reversed inscriptions, that occur in the work. Among these are viewed with great satisfaction three flat marble stones, curiously cut in *basso reliefo*; which tho of different design, and unequal breadth, are placed in a line to adorn the arch of the gate.

THE first of these marbles (reckoning from the left hand as we front the gate) has been somewhat injured by time; but from the portraiture of grapes and baskets, and four or five figures in gay and youthful postures, it may be presumed to represent a *Bacchanal*.

THE second marble is a military piece, consisting of many intire figures, all cut in postures very bold and masterly, and such as undoubtedly are the work of some noble hand. It designs a warlike horse surprized by an enemy, with his rider lying at his scet; near which several persons are carried captive by Roman soldiers. The chieftain stands by, and is supplicated by a woman in a large loose mantle, whose intercession seems to intercept the action. This has been by some refered to the *destruction of Troy*, and by others to a Christian persecution; but with greater probability it may be thought to represent the event of some Roman victory.

THE third marble is a sepulchral monument, and represents a dead person extended, from his knees upwards, on a funeral bed; the chief mourner sitting, and five other persons standing in a melancholy posture, and lamenting over him. These likewise are very lively figures, and cut with an imitable perfection.

OF the *temple of Diana* there are extant no considerable ruins, nor any thing that is lofty and beautiful enough to bespeak the remains of that famous structure. But in a marshy ground, near the *Lacus Selenusius*¹, betwixt the haven *Panormus*² and the

¹ Plin. Lib. xxxvi. c. 14. In solo id duo Selenunes, that is, two Selenian lakes. palustri fecere. And Lib. v. c. 29. Templo Dianaee complexi e diversis regionibus

² Strabo, Lib. xiv. pag. 639, et 642.

Ειτα Πύρελα πολιχνον (which now is called

Scala

place of the antient city, there stand two broken pieces of a masty wall, in which both the present tradition, and accounts of antient geographers, exactly conspire to prove them the small reliques of the temple. As they themselves consist of square hewn stone, so they are surrounded with heaps of the same materials, among which occur some losty dejected pillars of beautiful and splendid marble. Under the highest of these ruinous walls there descends an artificial passage, which after two or thre short turnings proceeds in a straight line thro many narrow rooms and alleys. This, tho dark and noisome, is customarily visited by travclers, with the assistance of a candle and clue of thread ; and is called, by we know not what fancy, the *labyrinth of Diana's temple*. But as we observed the like under several large structures, some at *Sardis*, and others at this very place ; so it is notorious, that this is but the ordinary method of strengthening any great foundation, and securing the building by subterraneous arches. Returning from this cavity the traveler has nothing clsc in view, but venerable heaps of rubbish, and uncertain traces of foundations ; and must be forced to supply his curiosity with considering, that this was the place, where once stood and flourished that renowned wonder of the world.

THE first temple had been burnt on the same night, in which *Alexander the Great* was born ; and this second was then rebuilding, when that prince was residing at *Ephesus*, and pursuing his conquests in *Asia Minor*. He contributed sumptuously to the expence, and afterwards proposed to reimburse the whole, if the Ephesians would consent to inscribe his name upon the fabric ¹. But those citizens had an ambition equal to that of Alexander, and therefore diverted his desires by a fulsom compliment, and the dedication of a famous picture ; which was Alexander himself armed with thunder, designed by the inimitable Apelles, and valued at twenty talents of gold ². *Pliny* has likewise told us, that this temple was adorned with an hundred and twenty seven pillars, each sixty feet high, thirty six of which were carved, and that by the celebrated hand of *Scopas*. The whole structure was four hundred and twenty five feet in length, and two hundred and twcnty feet in breadth ; and was founded in this watry ground,

Scala Nova) ἔτα λιμνὴ Πάνορμος καλύψθει,
ἔχων ἱερὸν τῆς Ἐφεσίας Ἀρτέμιδος ἐῖ' οὐ πόλις.
And again: Μελά δὲ τὴν ἐκβολὴν τῷ Καῦσης
λίμνην εἰσὶ ἐν τῷ πεδάγγῳ ἀναχειούσῃν· καλεῖται
ἡ Σεληνοσία, ηδὲ ἐφεξῆς ἄλλη σύρρεις αὐτῇ.

¹ These particulars, as collected out of several authors, are to be seen in *Supplm.* in *Q. Curt. Lib. ii. cap. 7.*
² See these and other particulars in *Plin. Lib. xxxvi. cap. 14.*

out of a vain hope to secure it by that means against time and earthquakes.

THESE are the most remarkable curiosities either of Turkish, Christian, or Heathen antiquity, which in the space of this afternoon we observed at *Ephesus*. Besides which we viewed many intire pillars of an aqueduct, that passes over the plain from the southern hills; as also in two places the uncertain footsteps of a theatre; and without the new castle a full face¹, with two serpents (cut on a stone) whose heads meet over it, and their bodies descend on each side. This monument is supposed to represent *Diana*, in the two characters of *Luna* and *Proserpine*. But it is to be wished, that some curious traveler might remain two or three days at *Ephesus*; during which time by removing the weeds, and clearing the confused ruins, he might possibly discover many valuable inscriptions; as by the benefit of a ladder he might take one or two from the wall above mentioned under the Christian ruins, which to our great dissatisfaction we found not legible from the ground.

AMONG the few imperfect inscriptions discoverable in so short a stay, the name of P. VEDIVS ABOSCANTVS, with mention of his wife and daughter, is once or twice repeated both in Greek and Latin. And ATTIKON HPΩΔHN, or the name of that ingenious Roman, whose part is so entertaining in the *Noēles Atticae* of *Gellius*, is preserved on a fragment among the pillars of the aqueduct. In the same place is frequent mention of M. Antoninus, once particularly on occasion of an honour done by the city to his daughter *Fadilla*.

ΦΑΔΙΛΛΑΝ ΘΤΓΑΤΕΡΑ Μ. ΑΥΡΗΛΙΟΥ ΑΝΤΩΝΕΙΝΟΥ
ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟΥ²

THIS distich likewise on the castle gate is remarkable for the word *Ptelea*, an old name of *Ephesus*, which occurs in it.

ΤΟΥΤΟΝ ΟΙΣΟΡΑΑΣ ΤΥΠΟΝ ΟΡΘΙΟΝ ΑΝΤΩΝΙΝΟΥ
ΔΩΡΟΘΕΟΣ ΠΤΕΛΕΗ ΘΗΚΑΤΟ ΚΡΥΠΤΟΜΕΝΟΝ

¹ This is the face of the moon *aspide* Ευτάτη τῶν Κομψόδες ἀδελφῶν (Φαδίλλα εἰναια comas. See *Theb. et Rom. Ant.* Vol. v. στορα αὐτῆς) εἰδεσμένα, etc.

p. 779.

See likewise *Grut.* pag. MLXVI, n. 13.

² Herodian. Lib. i. cap. 39. Η δὲ περού and *Fabrett. Inscriptiones*, pag. 746.

And

An invaluable inscription this, if the thing, to which it relates, had been found with it ; for it seems to imply the hiding of a medal under the stone, which bore the inscription, that so, when time should destroy the building, the emperor's face might be communicated to posterity.

OUR way did not lead us by the aqueduct six miles from the city, in which is to be seen that large Latin and Greek inscription, printed in Sir George Wheler's *Travels*¹. Nor did we find those imperfect lines, which he took from a stone half buried in the ground². But there is this perfect inscription on a stone near the gate of the old citadel, with which we shall here finish our account of *Ephesus*.

Η ΒΟΥΗ ΕΤΕΙΜΗΣΕΝ ΠΟΠΛΙΟΝ ΑΙΛΙΟΝ ΦΛΑΒΙΑΝΟΝ
ΑΠΟΛΛΟΔΩΡΟΝ ΑΣΠΕΝΔΙΟΝ ΦΙΛΟΛΟΓΟΝ ΤΟ ΔΕ ΜΝΗ
ΜΕΙΟΝ ΚΑΤΕΣΚΕΥΑΣΕΝ ΠΟΠΛΙΟΣ ΑΙΛΙΟΣ ΦΛΑΒΙΑΝΟΣ
ΖΩΙΑΟΣ Ο ΑΔΕΛΦΟΣ ΑΥΤΟΥ ΖΗ

M A Y ii.

IT was a rainy and tempestuous morning, when, as we lay yet asleep in the public *kane*, a terrible clap of thunder discharged itself seemingly in the very room. The vehemence of the noise awakened us in great astonishment ; and our eyes were no sooner opened, but the whole place seemed to be filled with a red blaze of fire. Each person was first solicitous for the safety of his companions, and afterwards for that of the horses, which were dispersed in their stations about the door. But finding that we had received no detriment, either in our goods or persons, we blessed God for our deliverance; and concluded by an infallible argument, that the explosion must needs be extremely near us, in that the light continued for some time after the sound.

WE mount by six a clock, and now determine our return to *Smyrna*; to which there lies a straight tho difficult and craggy road, over the top of the *Alymán*; upon which account we thought

¹ Pag. 255. But the reader may see it printed, of the second part of *Antiq. Asiat.* more perfect in the few sheets, which were

² See pag. 254.

it preferable to take the way of the plains. This first led us over the bridge of the *Cayster*, and then quickly after round the abrupt precipice of the *Alymán*, and that old castle upon its edge, which we had before so much in view, as we rode from *Tyria*. From hence we pass thro a variety of low woods and pastures, which in themselves were pleasant and diverting ; tho the soun-
tains being all dry about this quarter, we were much distressed for want of water. About four hours and a quarter from *Ephesus* we descry on our left hand, on the rising of the hill, the deplorable remainder of the castle of *Metropolis*; and at the foot thereof such apparent traces of foundations, with variety of hewn marble, as permitted us no longer to doubt concerning the place of that waste city. And it may be added, that computing our way by hours, as *Strabo* does by furlongs¹, we did not greatly differ from his account, who places it at little more than a third part of the distance betwixt *Ephesus* and *Smyrna*. Not far from hence we begin to approach a small, tho not shallow river, runing on our right hand, which probably is the *Pbyrites* of *Pliny*² mingling, as he describes it, with the *Cayster*, not far from the *Stagnum Pegasaeum*, or that lake, which we before observed in our way from *Tyria* to *Ephesus*. Beyond this river we saw a large extended pasture, overspread with the flocks, herds, and tents of *Turcmen*. They had here pitched their station to the number of fourteen hundred ; for as we staid to taste their milk, and to view their habitations, they themselves gave us this account, reckoning about two hundred tents, and seven persons more or less appertaining to each. As the whole race of the Turks were nothing else but a numerous colony, that swarmed from *Scythia* ; so these *Turcmen* seem to be the peculiar descendants of the *Nomades Scythae*, or *Shepherd Scythians*, and like them make it their em-
ployment to breed and nurture cattle. To this end they never assemble in towns, or betake themselves to houses ; but flit from place to place, as the season of the year directs, and seize without control the vast neglected pastures of this desert empire.

¹ Εξ Εφέσου μίχης Σμύρνης ὁδός εἴσιν οὐτ' εἰς τὸν Δελταπειραιώνοις εὔκοαι σάδιοι· εἰς γὰρ Μυζούπολιν πέρα μεταβολή πολὺς αἱρετός, εἰς τὸν δὲ Λαυρεῖον οἱ λαυρεῖοι σάδιοι, οἱ λαυρεῖοι δὲ εἰς Σμύρναν. ² Lib. v. cap. 29. *Ephesus alluitur Cäy-*
ster et pheasius eiusdem sacerdotum, et pheasius multos annes deferente, et stagnum
izalón καὶ εὔκοαι σάδιοι, οἱ λαυρεῖοι δὲ εἰς Σμύρναν. Pegasaeum, quod Pbyrites annis expellit.
Strab. Lib. xiv. p. 632.

IN two hours and three quarters from *Metropolis* we arrive at *Trianta*, a small but pleasant village, seated on a dry foil, and enjoying a very healthful air; where we proposed to *arrack* this evening. An *agá* here hospitably accommodated us with the convenience of his country house, and likewise treated us with a small collation after the Turkish fashion.

MAY iii.

By seven a clock we leave *Trianta*, crossing a little river within the limits of the village, and at an hour's distance another of the same bigness; one or both of which, as they unite in the bottom of the plain, must be the antient *Halesus*, that ran into the sea at *Colophon*. We continue in a large and beaten road, leaving *Garmobashy* on our left hand, till having *Sedicni* now in view, we cross over a watry bottom to shorten our way thither. Here we arrive about ten a clock, and stop to refresh ourselves in the consul's country house; where after a long difusc of chairs, which are not the fashion of the Turks, we once more had the pleasure of sitting down to dinner.

HAVING mounted soon after three, the worshipful consul *Raye*, with several gentlemen of our nation, did us the honour to meet us about two miles distance from the village. On these therefore we waited home the remainder of our way, and so returned before six a clock in good health to *Smyrna*; having been much obliged to Mr. *Whalley* for his care and conduct, as well as mutually to one another for that cheerful and unanimous temper, which sweetened all our travels, and deceived the severall fatigues of this laborious journey.





AN ACCOUNT of a voyage from *Smyrna* to *Constantinople*, and a journey back from thence to *Smyrna*, in the year MDCCI.

MARCH xxvi.

THIS day I took my passage for *Constantinople* on board the *King William* galley, captain Nehemiah Winter commander, and accordingly went on board at six a clock in the evening; being favoured with the company of Mr. Dunster, Mr. Turner, and Mr. Clotterbooke, who after a short repast returned a shore. On the same ship embarked for *Constantinople* the *bariût agâ* of *Smyrna*, with his *harém*, and a numerous family.

MARCH xxvii.

WE set sail this morning with a gentle gale, which served us as far as *St. George's* island, that lies before the harbour of *Fochia Vecchia*, that is *Phocaea*; betwixt which and the fand head, occasioned by the discharge of the river *Hermus*, we came to an anchor at the approach of the evening.

MARCH xxviii.

WE set sail early this morning with little or no wind, the whole day continuing calm till towards the evening; when the gale began to grow fresh, and favouring us all night advanced us betwixt the main land of *Aeolia* and the island of *Mitylene*, or *Lesbos*, leaving the bay of *Cuma*, now called *Sotaléa*, upon our right hand.

MARCH xxix.

THIS morning with a contrary and very gentle gale we turn betwixt the island and the main, having a fair view of the harbour,

to CONSTANTINOPLE and JOURNEY back. 33

bour, city, and castle of *Mitylene* ; the last of which seems to be large and well walled, declining with a moderate descent on the side of a gentle hill. The same coast of the island is stored with many pleasant and considerable villages, well furnished with arable and pasture ground, and large woods at a distance, said to abound with deer. This day we advanced no farther than the isles of *Musconisa*, formerly *Argimatae* ², situated betwixt the continent of *Aeolia* and the island of *Mitylene*. Here therefore we came to anchor about midday, lying opposite to the mouth of the *Idaean* or *Adramyttian* gulph, made by the two promontories of *Cana* on one side, and *Lecton* on the other, and fenced towards the continent of *Troas* (for so that whole region may be called) with the snowy and aspiring top of mount *Ida*.

M A R C H XXX.

THIS morning the wind springing fair about four a clock, we advance betwixt the island of *Mitylene* and the main of *Aeolia*, the narrowest bogáz is made by cape *Siguri*, antiently *Sigrium*, on the island side, and cape *Bahá*, formerly *Lecton*, on that of the main. Near midday we begin to turn this latter cape, and thereby to gain the sight of *Imbros* and *Tenedos*; *Lemnos* not discovering itself till some hours afterwards, as we advanced with calm weather betwixt *Tenedos* and the *Trojan* shore; when the low land of *Lemnos*, with the round and exalted top of *Athos* on the other side of it, gave us a delightful prospect.

M A R C H XXXI.

THIS day turning to windward, we advance by nine a clock between the town of *Tenedos* and the *Trojan* shore, the narrow distance of about six or seven miles allowing us a distinct prospect of each. *Tenedos* is a middle sized compact town, fortified with a castle, seated immediately on the shore, and fenced toward the land with a round hill; but exposed to the sea without the advantage of any deep gulph, or commodious harbour. The whole island is green and level, and has the appearance, as well as reputation, of a rich and fertile soil. The wind not favouring us

¹ *Mitylene*, made more remarkable for *Saecula, quem veniens hospes Romanus adorat.*
those words of the *Lebians* to *Pompey*, ^{Lucan. Lib. viii. § 114.}
then fled hither :

Fuc, Magne, locum, quem cuncta revisant

² See *Strab. Lib. xiii. pag. 615.*

from hence, we proceed slowly the whole day with calm and serene weather; and turning betwixt *Tenedos* and the *Phrygian* continent, after enjoying the delightful sight of the *Trojan* campain on one side, and of *Tenedos*, *Imbros*, and *Samothracia* on the other, we anchored about six in the evening under the celebrated promontory of *Sigéum*.

APRIL i.

EARLY in the morning we endeavour to make sail from *Sigéum*, but being taken in a dead calm, we were employed the whole day in warping, that so passing the mouth of the *Hellespont* we might lie (if occasion should so require) sheltered by the new castle, and the point on which it stands. Having with great fatigue made two or three warps, the wind at length favoured us so far, as to advance us two leagues within the said new castle of *Natolia*, when the captain thought it better to anchor, than to proceed in so narrow a chanel and so dark a night.

AT this place it will be most proper to set down my thoughts of *Troy*, and the whole *Trojan* shore, which for the space of three days I viewed at a convenient distance in calm and serene weather from the poop of the ship, feeding my eycs and mind with an eager and boundleſs curiosit. That, which in a large ſenfe was called of old by *Strabo*, as at preſent by the modern Greeks, the campain of *Troas*, begins at the promontory of *Lepton*, and then fronting the iſle of *Tenedos* ends in a delicious green and level country, as far as the ſtrait of the *Hellespont*. But from the begining of this ſtrait we fail by the main of that, which is properly to be called the campain of *Troy*. And because our modern travclers give a wild and indiſtinct account of this famous place, I ſhall endeavour to describe the bounds, and ſituatiſon of it, in as clear and diſtinct terms as poſſible.

FROM cape *Sigéum* (whence antiently was computed the entrance of the *Helleſpont*) you fail about five milcs, till you come oppofite to the mouth of the *Scamander*; and from thence about two miles farther to a ſmall prominence of land, by the antients called *Rhoetéum*. Betwixt this *Rhoetéum* and *Sigéum*, the marinc, which bent in an even uninterrupted ſemicircle, afforded a com- modious

modious station for the Grecian fleet¹. But as *Strabo* well observes, that in his time the *Scamander* began to interrupt this station, by the sand it discharges on the shore; so it has since gained more considerably on the sea, and formed that whole tongue of land, on which is now built the new castle of *Natalia*. However in the days of *Priam* the shore was undoubtedly more regular, as well as more retired. And opposite thereto in the adjoining continent, at such a distance as would admit the engagements, the flights, the pursuits, and the encampments of each army (as they are all described by *Homer*) we are to conceive of the walls and buildings of antient *Troy*. But still we must be cautious of pointing out, and distinguishing the very place; since in the reign of *Tiberius Caesar* we are assured by *Strabo*, that there remained not the least footprint of antient *Troy* to satisfy the curiosity of the most searching traveler². So vain are the accounts of our modern *journalists*, who pretend to have seen the walls, the gates, or other ruins of *Troy*; that, which now remains, being nothing but the rubbish of new *Ilium*, or of that city once attempted there by *Constantine*.

APRIL ii.

WE endeavour this morning to continue our voyage, but make no considerable progress; because the gentle gale, that favoured us, could not prevail against the current of the *Hellespont*, which perpetually flows with a full and rapid course into the *Aegean* sea. We therefore drive back, and content ourselves with coming to an anchor in the same place, from whence we weighed this morning; taking the opportunity of going to dine on the Asian shore. After midday a fresher wind advanced us within a small distance from the old castles; where it again deserted us, and obliged us to drop anchor a second time, to maintain the way we had gained in opposition to the violent stream of this chanel.

¹ Hence *Virgil. Culic.* § 312.

*Omnis ut in cineres Rhoetei litoris ora,
Classibus ambustis, flamma superante, daretur.*

See likewise *Xenoph. Hist. Graec.* L. i. in
print. *ως ἡραὶ τελέσθαι τὸ Πότερον.* And *P. Mel.*
L. i.c. 18. *Extra finum sunt Rhoetea littora.*

² Lib viii. p. 599. *Οὐδὲν ἔχεις σώζεται*

τῆς αἰγαίας πόλεως. And in like manner, *Lucan. Lib. ix.* § 968.

Tota teguntur

Pergama dumetis, et jam periere ruinae.

APRIL iii.

WE continue anchored at the same place, being all this day entirely becalmed. And the day following, the calm having changed into a contrary wind detained us still at the same anchor. But however disagreeable this interruption in the course of our voyage might prove to some others of the company, the leisure of those two days was to me very grateful. Nor could I esteem it any loss of time, but rather an advantage, on account of the favourable and unexpected opportunity it afforded me of visiting two so famous castles, together with the villages adjoining to them¹. Going ashore therefore in the captain's pinnace to the town on the Asian side (formerly called *Abýdos*², but by the Turks *Eski Natolia Hisar*) with great pleasure I walked about the place, but found no footsteps of antiquity³. The town is large, but mean; yet famous for a curious sort of earthen ware finely glazed, which is made here, and vended in great quantities. The castle is intire, of a square figure, with bastions projecting at each corner, and with one side flanks the water on a level shore; where are to be seen betwixt twenty and thirty vast guns, such as perhaps are no where else to be found, except in some other parts of Turkey. They are of brass, and have a bore at least three quarters of a yard diameter; and are charged with stone bullets of the same dimensions, which lie at hand spherically cut. The charge of powder, as I was informed on the place by the *barút agá* of *Smyrna*, is an hundred and five *okes*. From *Abýdos* I crossed over in a small wherry to *Sestos*⁴, that is, from *Natolia* to *Rumeli Hisar*, and in the way observed the art of the boatman in avoiding the force of the current, a circumstance mentioned by *Strabo*⁵. This town stands on a precipice, descending steeply towards the sea shore; and is better built, tho less, than *Abýdos*. It has a castle consisting of a triangular tower, enclosed within

¹ Polybius makes the breadth of the *Hél*-
leßpon here to be no more than two fur-
longs, Lib. xvi. p. 735.

² In some modern prints *Aidos*. The
most memorable siege of this place by king
Philip of *Macedon* is related by *Livy*, Lib.
xxxii. cap. 17.

³ Γενίποντος μελαῖνον Τρωάδον τῆς Δρ-

χαίας Ιλίου, καὶ πέπον διέφυτο εἰς πόλεως καλα-
σχεῖαις Θηλείδαιον, θεμέλιος τε ἐπικάλο, καὶ τεί-
χες τιμέρος εἰς ὑψός ανίστανται ὅπερ ἄχει νιῶ-
σθαι ἔνει σὴ τὸ Εὐκάστονον πλένεσσιν. Zohm.
Lib. ii. pag. 105. ed. Oxon.

⁴ Europamque Asiae, Sestonque admovit
Abydo. Lucan. Lib. ii. § 674.

⁵ Lib. xiii. pag. 59.

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an high wall of this  figure, and that again with another triangular wall, all surrounded with a deep fos. In the same level with the water are mounted about thirty guns, of the same or rather bigger size than those of *Natolia Hisar*; and by each lie great heaps of stones, cut spherically to the dimensions of each canon. In relation to this town of *Sestos*, and the tower of *Leander*, once adjoining to the shore a little above the town, I remembered that request of *Musaeus*:

Σὺ δὲ πόλες κεῖθι περήσσεις,
Δίζεο μοι τινὰ πάγην¹.

A P R I L V.

THIS morning a fresh wind favouring us at south west we set sail by six a clock, and passing the forementioned castles, within a league on the European shore, arrive at the town *Maitos*, antiently *Madytos*², seated on a low land within a small recess of the sea, and inhabited intirely by Greeks. The campain on each side is delightful to the traveler, as well as fertile to the inhabitants; being for the most part of a level situation, and in the neighbourhood of the villages it possesses, well cultivated and distinguished into pastures. About three leagues from *Maitos* we view on the same shore two pleasent and well situated villages, by the name of the *Lesser* and *Greater Galata*. Thence about the distance of two leagues we arrive betwixt *Lampsacus* on the Asian, and *Callipolis* on the European shore; the former a small town, and the latter a city of no inconsiderable extent; so that now they have changed their fortune, and that character, which they bore in the time of *Strabo*³. About twelve leagues from *Callipolis* lies the island *Marmora*, exceeding high ground, abounding with rich veins of durable and pretious marble; the fame of which has given it the name of *Marmora*, instead of the antient *Proconesus*. Adjoining to this are two lesser isles, *Kutali* and *Alonia*, the latter eminent for the product of excellent wines. Betwixt these islands and the beautiful Thracian shore, which here graces the *Propontis*, we were advanced by a brisk and favourable gale

¹ Her. et Leand. § 23, 24.

² Callipolis quoque ac Madytos dedita, et λατή πόλις ἐστιν εὐλίμενος καὶ αξιόλογος. Et castella quaedam ignobilia. Liv. Lib. xxxi cap. 16.

³ Lib. xiij. p. 589. Η Λάμψακος επὶ θα-

mox: Εν τῷ στρῶῳ τῆς Χερρωνίσου πολίχνιον εἰ-

at the approach of the evening, and from thence are now continuing our voyage, with the same auspicious wind, and hopes, if God permit, to arrive at *Constantinople* early by to morrow morning.

APRIL vi.

BEFORE ten last evening the wind having changed to our disadvantage, we find ourselves this morning but little advanced from *Marmora*; however by the benefit of turning to windward, we proceeded this day about the distance of ten leagues. Every other tack brought us near to the Thracian shore, and entertained us with a fair view of the most green and fertile campain I ever yet beheld. By the same means we enjoyed the opportunity of seeing the famous port and city of *Heraclea*, built behind a small eminence, which pretends itself into the sea, and forms an haven on each side of the city. Not far from hence stands on the same shore the fair town of *Selymbria*; near which the night now overtakes us, and deprives us of that delicious prospect, which the whole day afforded us, of the feilds of Thrace. It was on this day, that captain Winter wanting his log line to be brought him from a chest in the great cabin, was not permitted by the *barit agá* to send any person down for it, by reason of his *barém* being there. At length he yeilded to let the captain's son go, a child of about eight years of age.

APRIL vii.

EARLY this morning I betake myself to the enjoyment of the same diverting prospect, whilst the ship, by the benfit of tacking, passes by *Grande* and *Piccolo Ponte*; and so betwixt nine and ten of the clock comes to an anchor within a short leaguc of the *Seven Towers*, a castle which forms the extreme point of *Constantinople*. Here we continued wind bound the remainder of this day, because the narrowncs of the chanel, into which we were now to cnter; and the force of the current, which runs very rapidly out of the Thracian *Bosphorus*; did not suffer us to advance against the violent north wind.

APRIL

APRIL viii.

THIS morning about nine a clock the wind, which changed nothing of its point, yet abated so much of its strength, that it permitted us to turn from the *Seven Towers* along the bending walls of *Constantinople*, as far as the *Seraglio point*. But the violence of the current prohibiting us to make the harbour of *Galata*, the ship was again obliged to drop anchor, and wait till she could either make sail with a fair wind, or take the opportunity of a calm to be towed in by *hamâls*. We had not long cast anchor, when my esteemed friend, Mr. Matthias Goodfellow, was pleased to visit me on board the ship; and carrying me ashore in the boat, which brought him, first introduced me to his excellency, the Lord Paget, and then kindly allotted me a pleasant and convenient apartment in his house at *Galata*.

APRIL xiii.

THIS day I attended the funeral of Signior *Demetrasco*, chief *dragoman* to the English ambassador, who tho by faith a Latin, yet by birth was of the Greek nation. And accordingly in the way of burying proper to this latter, I observed the manner of carrying the corps of the deceased barefaced, clothed in his late usual habit, and supported by four of his nearest relations; who were followed by women slaves, hired to make a hideous pomp, by tearing their hair, extorting forced and counterfeit tears, and repeating in a continual loud and frightful lamentation, Ὡ αφένη με; that is, *O my master!*

APRIL xv.

I PAID a visit to Signior *Rombarts*, a gentile and ingenuous merchant of the Dutch nation, at his house in *Ciruchesmée*, a village on the Thracian *Bosphorus*. Here I observed a *sophâ* room remarkably adorned after the richest Turkish fashion, the roof formed into a cupola, and the gilding and painting of the whole so splendidly curious, that it amounted at first to the sum of four thousand *hungârs*, or two thousand pounds sterling.

APRIL

APRIL XVII.

I TOOK the opportunity of passing over the chanel to *Constantinople*, in company of Signior *Wright*, the Dutch minister of this place, with whom I visited the mint; the *Grand Signior's* lions; and the mosques of *Sultan Solymán*, *Sultan Bajazet*, *Sultan Achmét*, and the *Validée*. That of *Bajazet* and the *Validée* are adorned only with two *minarées*, that of *Solymán* with four, and that of *Achmét* with six. They all much resemble one another, both in the inward and outward figure. They first consist of a spacious court, enriched all round with fair and regular cloisters formed by pillars, some of whose shafts are carved with white marble, some with serpentine stone, and some with porphyry; but all the capitals are of the modern Turkish figure. Next is the body of the mosque, covered outwardly with domes, and supported inwardly with four massive pillars, from the tops of which rises a regular cupola, forming the roof of the whole mosque. Whoever exactly compares the beauty and grandeur of these several mosques, will find that of *Solymán* more regular, and artificial in the outward frame; that of *Achmét* more magnificent in the whole, and on the outside more beautiful in the work of the pillars; that of the *Validée*, tho less in bulk and extent than the other two, yet more curious in the inward ornaments and workmanship than either; and that of *Bajazet*, which is the oldest, inferior to the rest both in bulk and beauty, except that some cast pillars, which form the cloisters of the court, consist of a more polite, shining, and precious stone.

THE same morning I visited the antient cirque of this city, a large oblong space flanked on three sides with the houses of the city, and on the fourth with the walls of the mosque of *Sultan Achmét*. Therein stand three pillars, the first of square stone, formerly covered with gilded brass, at the end of the cirque, and supposed to have been the goal of the stadium. It now declines much, having suffered greatly by time, and openings in the several joints of the stones. The second pillar is of wrought brass, not above twelve feet high, lately terminated at the top with figures of three serpents rising from the pillar, and with their necks and heads forming a bear's head triangle. But this monument was rudely broken from the top of the pillar by some attendants of the late Polish ambassador, whose lodgings were appointed in this

cirque, opposite to the said pillar¹. The third pillar is a long square stone, or obelisk, decreasing gradually from its basis, till it ends almost in a point. The matter is granate, or Theban marble; and each side is engraven with birds, beasts, and other hieroglyphical figures². This had once lain upon the ground, and, as we may conceive from the inscriptions, a considerable time; till *Theodosius* erected it on a large and square basis, adorned on each side with various images; and having fixt on the top of this basis four bras supporters, on these he set the aforesaid hieroglyphical Theban column. There is a Latin inscription on one side of the basis, and a Greek one on the other, importing what I here mention concerning the erection of the pillar. The Greek runs thus:

KIONA ΤΕΤΡΑΠΛΕΤΡΟΝ ΑΕΙ ΧΘΟΝΙ ΚΕΙΜΕΝΟΝ ΑΧΘΟC
ΜΟΥΝΟC ΑΝΑΣΤΗCAI ΘΕΥΔOCIOC ΒΑΣΙΑEYC
ΤΟΛΜΗCAC ΠΡΟΚΑOCS³ ΕΠΕΚΕKAETO KAI TOCOC ECTH
KΙΩN HEAOIOC EN TPIAKONTA ΔΥΩ

The Latin thus :

DIFFICILIS QVONDAM DOMINIS PARERE SERENIS
IVSSVS ET EXTINCTIS PALMAM PORTARE TYRANNIS
OMNIA THEODOSIO CEDVNT SOBOLIQUE PERENNIS⁴
TER DENIS SIC VICTVS EGO DOMITVSQVE DIEBVS⁵

The remaining verse, mentioned by Sir *George Sandys*, is now covered in the ground⁶.

APRIL xxii.

THIS day having first visited Mr. *Schrever* (then ill of the plague, of which he died two days after) in a small boat of the country, in company with Mr. *Goodfellow* and Mr. *Evans*, I made a tour up the Thracian *Bosphorus*. This chanel we may conceive to begin from the point of *Scutari* on one side, and that of *Tophana* on the other; from whence in a winding figure, graced on each side with *seraglios* of the chief courtiers of this empire, and on

¹ Concerning these monuments particularly see *Gyllius, Constantinop. topogr. Lib. ii. c. 12, 13.*

² Concerning the interpretation of which, together with an history of the *Rom. obelisks*, see *Ammian. Marcell. Lib. xvii. c. 4.*

and *Smith, Constantinop. brev. notit. p. 117.*

³ Περιλω in *Anthologia, Lib. iv. p. 488.*

⁴ See *Zosim. Lib. iv. p. 265.*

⁵ See *Cang. Constant. Christian. Lib. ii. pag. 105.*

⁶ *L. i. p. 34. of his Travels.*

the marine with almost continued villages, as also two castles in the narrowest part, it extends about eighteen or twenty miles, as far as the antient rocky isles of the *Symplegades*, which seem to open and shut, as one advances to them in the *Bosphorus*¹. The largest of them is situated on the European shore, and till lately bore an antient Corinthian pillar, to which a vulgar error has given the name of *Pompey's column*. It was erected not on a regular basis of its own, but upon an antient heathen altar, that now only remains; the shaft and capital of the pillar, which have lately fallen, being yet visible in four pieces among the cliffs of the rock. On the aforesaid remaining altar may be read this inscription in large Roman letters.

DIVO CAESARI AUGVSTO
L. CL. ANNIDIVS
L. F. CLAV. FRONTO²

RETURNING from this pillar we stept on the adjoining shore, to see the large and lofty lantern there erected for the direction of mariners at the entrance of this difficult strait. About four miles from hence, in returning thro the chanel, we go ashore on the European side to visit a famous convent of Greek priests, by the name of *Mauromolos*, seated in the cliff of an hill, and enjoying a beautiful church, adorned with many rich pieces of religious furniture; as books bound in covers of massy silver; an *αγία τιμὴν*, or *sacred curtain*³, wrought both richly and artfully in silk and golden figures; and a set of painting not of the vulgar sort, but regular and proportionable, the most curious of which was done in Muscovy. These fathers are exempted from their *harâch*, on account of a present of excellent fair cherries, once presented to the *Grand Signior*. Over a fountain, that serves the convent with water, they have this device, not more proper for the place, than ingenious for the contrivance, in making the same words read forwards or backwards:

NIYON ANOMHMATA MH MONAN OYIN⁴

I was this day a witness of the strong current flowing towards the *Propontis* from the *Euxine* sea, as I had before observed it to

¹ Concerning these see *Pliny*, *Lib. iv. cap. 13.*

² See *Gruter*, pag. ccxxviii, and *Wheeler*, pag. 207.

³ See *Du Fresne, Glossar. Graec. Tab. i. coper. praemiss.*

⁴ This is part of an epigram, *Eis Διομήδες τάφος*, *Antholog. Lib. vi. p. 563.*

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force into the *Mediterranean* from the ocean. Both which are taken notice of by *Lucan*:

*Quaque fretum torrens Maeotidos egerit undas
Pontus, et Herculeis aufertur gloria metis,
Oceanumque negat solas admittere Gades¹.*

APRIL xxvi.

THIS day I crossed the water from *Galata* to visit the antient *Chalcédon*, where I saw the poor Greek church dedicated to *S. Euphemia*²; and a little distant from the prefent village, the place where was held the fourth general council. Returning we row under the shore, to see the *Grand Signior's* beautiful *seraglio* near *Scutari*. When *Chalcédon* was an eminent city, which is now reduced to a slender village; *Scutari*, which by a contrary event is at prefent a fair and spacious city, was a poor and ignoble village, tho it then had the name of *Chrysopolis*, as we find by *Zosimus*³.

APRIL xxviii.

I RETIRED to *Belgrade*, a small Greek village, seated about twelve miles from *Constantinople*, and about five from the *Euxine* sea; where the English ambassador has a countrey seat. It is pleasantly situated among large woods of oak, beech, chesnut, and other trees, and enjoys an healthy air and water. Here I took the opportunity of riding to visit the famous aqueducts of *Constantinople*, distant from this village about six miles, which were built by *Valentinian* the first⁴, accurante *Clearcho praefecto*, as *Cassiodorus* says⁵; and afterwards repaired by *Solyman* the *Magnificent*, who exempted twelve adjacent Greek villages from the customary tribute of this empire, for the care he enjoined them of keeping these aqueducts in repair. The most remarkable of them are three great and lofty fabrics, built over so many valleys betwixt the adjoining hills, of which the longest has many but less arches, and may possibly be the entire work of *Solyman*. The other two have the appearance of a more antient and regular architecture, con-

¹ *Lib. iii. §. 277.* Concerning the current of the *Maeotis* see *Polybius*, *Lib. iv. p. 307*; and of that at *Gades*, *Mr. Halley's Discourse in Le Clerc's Physic. L. ii. c. 8.*

² Concerning the antient situation of *Chalcédon* see *Zosim. L. ii. p. 100*, and of this church,

L. v. p. 314, and *Evagr. L. ii. c. 3.*

³ *Lib. ii. pag. 106.*

⁴ For *Valentinian's* building these aqueducts see *Socrates* by *Valesius*, and *Nicoph. Constantin. Hist. vol. ii. p. 418.*

⁵ In his *Chronicon*.

sisting of two rows of arches one over the other ; and those of the second row enclosed by pillars cut thro the middle, so as to render the fabrie both passable like a bridge, and useful for the conveyance of water. The more confiderable of these two consists only of four large arches, each twenty yards long, and something above twenty high, supported by octangular pillars of about fifty six yards in circumference towards the bottom. The village of *Belgrade* is likewise honoured with two royal *kiosks*, the one of the *Grand Signior*, the other of the *Validée*; each situated in two delightful recesses of the neighbouring wood, and adorned with natural avenues thro lofty groves of beech, oak, and chefnut. At each of these *kiosks* the waters of the public aqueduct are gathered into fair and ample cisterns of hewn stone, from whence they pass in arched chanels under ground to the royal city.

MAY vii.

AFTER a pleafant retirement of ten days at *Belgrade* I returned to my lodgings at *Galata*, to take the opportunity of seeing the remaining curiosities of *Constantinople*.

MAY viii.

I WALKED almost thro the extent of the whole city to visit the famous pillar of *Arcadius*, a lofty and aspiring fabric, of the Doric order, built with a wonderful regularity and exactness of architecture, bearing on the basis, and on the whole shaft from top to bottom, various warlike figures of men in arms, chariots, galleys, and other ornaments, which in a spiral manner encircle the whole pillar ; every figure being so well proportioned to the distance, from whence it is seen, that those at the top, the middle, and the bottom, appear to the eye exactly of the same size. Returning from this pillar I passed by the old pillar of *Aarabášar*, defaced by the several conflagrations of the city, and bound in several places with rings of iron by the care and charge of the emperor *Manuel*, as is witnessed by this inscription on the top.

ΤΟ ΘΕΙΟΝ ΕΡΓΟΝ ΕΝΘΑΔΕ ΦΩΑΠΕΝ ΧΡΟΝΩ
ΚΑΙΝΟΙ ΜΑΝΟΥΘΑ ΕΥCEΒΗC ΑΤΤΟΚΡΑΤΩΡ

From this pillar I was desirous of passing thro *Atmeidan*, that is the *hippodromus*, or *cirque* above mentioned, to review the mosque

of

of *Sultan Achmet*, and make a stricter observation on the three pillars there erected. Here I was informed, that the brafs serpentine pillar was erected by the emperor *Leo*, as a charm against the noisom number of serpents, which in his time infested the city ; the fame person superstitiously affirming, that since the late defacement of this pillar, by the breaking of the serpents heads, the city was again molested by innumerable noxious serpents. At the foot of the old pillar, formerly covered with brafs, I read the remains of that inscription once taken by Sir *George Sandys*, but since his time part of it buried with earth, and part broken away ; which is very erroneously printed in his *Travels*¹. On the basis of the hicroglyphical pillar I observed the carved reprentation of the pillar it self, together with the figures of men labouring to erect it.

M A Y ix.

By the interest of a Greek, who serves the *bostangi bashá* as his surgeon, I was admitted in company of Mr. John Philips, an eminent merchant, into the great *seraglio* of *Constantinople*, where we passed thro two courts, that form the entry of the palace ; the first of which has a small arsenal, furnished with arms and ammunition ; the seconnd has piazzas on two sides, in which the *janisaries* are wont to eat, and opens at the upper end into the *diván*. From thefe two courts we were permitted to walk round the full extent of the garden, on each side of the palace. They are rude and wild places, affording nothing that is entertaining, but that wherewith nature has furnished them, which is an admirable situation rising into convenient ascents, and capable of infinite improvement, if it were happily in the possession of a Christian prince. The whole plat of ground, which they call the gardens of the *seraglio*, is covered with cyprefs and other trees, thro which are cut shady walks, where *kiofs* are seen of various sorts ; the most eminent and remarkable of which is that called the *Blew kiofk*, fronting the town of *Scutari*. This and the other called the *Alai kiofk*, fronting the city of *Galata*, are rich and splendid pleasure houfes, covered with a gilded cupola, and adorned in their several walls with Indian tiles, and stately chininey pieces of solid brafs. Passing thro the extent of the *seraglio* towards the extreme point, that looks up the Thracian *Bosphorus*, you observe a Corin-

¹ Book i. pag. 34.

thian pillar consisting of white marble, of which the ignorant Turks report a fabulous and ridiculous account; but its true original is discovered by this inscription on one plane of the basis:

FORTVNAE REDVCI OB
DEVICTOS GOTHOS.

On the opposite plane is likewise this religious device:



Near this pillar we were admitted thro a gate, which opens into a green court, and that again into a garden kept in somewhat a regular order. From hence we ascend by a few steps into an apartment of the *Grand Signior*, where are two rich *kiocks*, a fish pond, a paved walk, and an open gallery. Here we were shewn the lodgings, where the unhappy princes of the empire are detained prisoners, as also the dark chambers of the *ichoglangs*, and the door that leads into the *harém* of the *Grand Signior*. There also are shewn two or three instances of the strength and the activity of *Sultan Mordt*; as a ponderous round stone, which with one finger he is said to have lifted by a ring fixt therein; likewise five thick and substantial shields, which being placed upon one another were peirced thro by a cast of his *jirid* still sticking in them; also several silver pellets thrown by him with that violence, as to stick in an iron door. The above mentioned gallery is rich and splendid, adorned with various gilding of flower work, and supported with beautiful serpentine pillars. In the sides of one of the *kiocks* are three orbicular stones of fine prophry, the middlemost of which is curiously polished, and thereby serves to reflect the prospect of the *seraglio* and adjoining city, in the nature of a looking glass. At the further end of the garden of the *seraglio* are the intire wallsof an antient Christian church, and near to that the aviary of the *Grand Signior*, where I observed the hens of *Grand Cairo*, having blue gills and feathers curiously coloured with grey circles, and in the center of each a spot of black.

THIS day I retired again to *Belgrade*, for the advantage of its healthy air and water, and the entertainment of its shady situation. Hence on the twelfth instant I made a tour towards *Do-*

* In relation to this inscription the medal verse of which are the words *DEVICTIS*
• *Bellarius* may be observed, on the re- *GOTHIS.*

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muzderé, and the shore of the *Black Sea*, on which we rode for some space of ground, and returned by that called *Ovid's Tower*, thro a fertile tract of ground, curiously varied with corn, grass, and shady woods.

MAY xx.

I RETURNED again to my lodgings at *Galata*, and the next day crossed the water in company with Mr. Goodfellow to *Constantinople*, where after a visit to the *mosque* of *Solymán the Magnificent*, we obtained leave to ascend one of the *minarées*, from which the *muezins* call the Turks to their *namáz*, being about an hundred and twenty feet high. Here we took a delightful prospect of the whole situation and extent of *Stambol*, as likewise of *Galata*, *Pera*, and *Scutari*, with the neighbouring seas, canals, and land that encloses them. But the peculiar happiness of this day was the employment of about two hours, which we leisurely spent in viewing the stupendous church of *Sophia*¹, now profaned by its conversion into a Turkish *mosque*. It chiefly merits the regard of any curious traveler for the reliques of its rich mosaic work; the variety of pretious marble², which adorns it, consisting of serpentine, alabaster, and porphyry; and the architecture of its large and flat tho sublime cupola³, in which are still the entire figures of *Christ* and the twelve *Apostles*, and in the windows many inscriptions in mosaic work from the *New Testament*.

MAY xxiii.

I RETURNED again to *Belgrade*, as well for the opportunity of confirming my health, as for continuing my respects to his Excellency the Lord Paget.

JUNE vi.

I WAITED on his Excellency from *Belgrade* to *Pera*, going first to *Boiukderé* and thence down the *Bosphorus* by boat.

¹ See Eusebius's *Life of Constantine*.

² An account of the like rich marble work may be seen in *Stat. Sylv. Lib. i. c. 5.* *Etruscus.*

³ The particulars of each are described in

the exact and faithful account of *Grelot*, which may be compared with that of *Procopius*.

JUN 8

J U N E X.

I WAITED on his Excellency, as well to wish him a good journey, as to receive his commands for Smyrna.

J U N E xiii.

I RETURNED to the house of my esteemed freind, Mr. Good-fellow, in *Galata*; and the day following took leave of the Dutch ambassador and his family.

J U N E xvi.

I MADE a visit by boat to the *Seven Towers*, now a prison for persons of quality, since by the fate of war it has fallen into the hands of the Turks, but antiently the *Porta Janicula* of *Constantinople*. The beautiful remains of this gate are still admirable, tho by the Turks suffered to be almost concealed by a dead wall, and the shade of the neighbouring trees. It is a regular and carved arch of white marble, supported by two beautiful pillars, adorned in the pilasters with a sculpture representing several military affairs, and flanked on each side the pillars with twelve tablets of carved work extremely well performed, which contain several poetical stories. Among the rest is *Hercules* and the *Nemeaean lion*, the beast prodigious and terrible, but confessing its conqueror by an agreeable posture; *Luna* and *Endymion*; a winged *Pegasus*, managed by some of the *Muses*; a pourtrainture of the known combat of whirlbats; and an imperial figure, crowned by two celestial machines.

RETURNING by boat along the walls of the city, I observed its crooked figure and posture to the sea; and noted also the several square towers variously interspersed at unequal distances, each bearing an inscription much to the same purport, as may be seen by the following copy, which I took of them in the boat.

ON a tower near the *Porta Janicula*:

ΠΤΥΓΟΣ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΙΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΚΩΝΣΤΑΝΤΙΝΟΥ ΠΙΣΤΩΝ ΕΝ
ΚΩ ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡΩΝ

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ON a tower in that part of the wall, which includes the *seraglio*:

ΠΤΥΓΟΣ ΘΕΟΦΙΛΟΥ ΜΕΓΑΛΟΥ ΕΝ ΚΤΡΙΩ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ
ΚΑΙ ΑΤΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡΟΣ.

Round the same *seraglio*:

ΠΤΥΓΟΣ ΘΕΟΦΙΛΟΥ ΕΝ ΧΡΙΣΤΩ ΑΤΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡΟΣ.

About the same place:

ΠΤΥΓΟΣ ΘΕΟΦΙΛΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΜΙΧΑΗΑ ΠΙΣΤΩΝ ΕΝ ΚΩ
ΑΤΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡΩΝ.

J U N E xvii.

ABOUT midday I saw the ceremonies of the *dervise* convent of the order called *Meulevi* at *Pera*, consisting of their *namáz*, somewhat longer than is ordinary at other times and places. After which followed a sermon, that is, a gallimaufry of dreams and nonsense, pronounced by the prior of the convent, as he sat cross-legged on the seat of a two-elbowed wooden chair. This was succeeded by their music in a gallery over the door; during which about fourteen *dervises* led up a religious dance in the area of their theatre (for such is the figure and contrivance of it) in which they turn round almost in the same place with incredible swiftness, without either weariness or giddiness, for the space of half an hour. By this exercise their brain is so habitually fortified against dizziness, that one of them was able to stand upon the half moon of a *minarée* belonging to the *Solymaniá*, and from thence to salute the *Grand Signior* at his palace of *Cıskeni*, at the same time firing off a pistol, and drinking a dish of coffee.

ABOUT five this evening I took leave of Mr. Goodfellow, and embarked upon a boat manned with seven hands, which I had hired for ten dollars to transport my self, my horse, and two servants from *Galata* to *Montagnia*, being the space of two leagues. When having a fair wind, which by degrees increased, and exposed me to the fatigue of a nauseous sea sickness, after midnight I entered the two capes, which form the *Sinus Cianus*. In this bay is that famous fountain mentioned by *Virgil*:

*Hylan nautae quo fonte reliclum
Clamassent; cum littus, Hyla, Hyla, omne sonaret*¹.

¹ Eclog. vi. vers. 43.

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J U N E

JUNE xviii.

By six this morning I landed safe at *Montagnia*, a small Turkish town, which seems to have been the *Apaméa* of the antients; *Cius*, or *Prusa ad Arganthonium*, being now a little village, that lies farther towards the utmost corner of the bay. Here I hire a guide and horse to carry my self, servants, and baggage to *Prusia*, antiently *Prusa ad Olympum*, where by God's blessing I arrive safely about midday; and taking up my lodgings in the great silk *kane*, I there determine to repose till to morrow morning.

PRUSIA is a large and fair city, situate at the foot of *Olympus Myseus*, a mountain of exceeding hight, and covered with perpetual snow; which from its bowels furnishes the adjacent city with many large and plentiful fountains, and by the same means gives nourishment to the beautiful and flourishing trees, which intermix themselves with the houses of the place. These are chiefly mulberries, which maintain the industrious worm, that produces the white and lovely silk of *Prusia*; which I here saw spun from caldrons of hot water, the several cords yeilding at once three threads upon a wheel, turned by the person who tends the caldron. Besides the several cold streams issuing from *Olympus*, there flows from the same origin a plentiful sulphureous chanel, which is collected into four hot natural baths much frequented, and with marvelous succcs, as is here generally beleived. The several fabrics of the baths are very stately, of which I shall describe that, which is called the new one, for a specimen of the rest. It consists first of a large oblong room paved with marble, enclofed all round with free stone, and covered at the top with three noble cupolas leaded on the outside. Round the inward walls of the room are *sophas*, about a yard high, and two broad, sufficient for the undressing of three hundred men. In the middle is a round stone cistern, overflowing with cold water, which continually washes the pavement, and serves for other uses of the bagnio. From this room you enter into a second moderately warm, having on the sides oblong troughs of hot water, and in the middle a fountain of cold; the walls, roof, and pavement being all of white polished marble. From hence you are led by the attendants of the bagnio into a third apartment of an orbicular figure, paved, roofed, and walled with richer marble, that is, of more curious

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curious veins and various colours. The pavement hereof is sunk into a round cistern about six yards diameter, which is constantly full of hot water to the depth of about six feet, and surrounded with a stone bench for the ease of those, who care not to swim, or walk about the cistern. As the water constantly runs from thence by passages at the bottom of the cistern, so is it continually supplied by three large channels, which from as many fides of the room yeild a plentiful stream of water, almost scalding at the first touch.

BESIDES these baths there is not much remarkable in *Prusia*, except what may be collected from the history of the place; as that it has the ruins of a castle, built by one of the *Comneni*, as appears from the following inscription:

ΑΝΗΓΕΡΘΗ ΟΥΤΟC Ο ΠΥΡΙΓΟC
ΠΑΡΑ ΤΟΥ ΕΤΣΕΒΕΣΤΑΤΟΥ ΗΜΩΝ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩC
ΘΕΟΔΟΡΟΥ ΚΟΜΝΗΝΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΛΑΑΚΑΡΙ
... ΜΗΝΙ ΟΚΤΟΒΡΙΩ

It was made the first capital of the Turkish empire by *Osmán*, or *Ottoman*, the founder of that monarchy. And it has the monument not only of the said *Ottoman*, but likewise of his immediate successors, *Orchán*, *Solymán*, *Amurát*, *Bagazet*, and *Mahomet* the first.

J U N E xxi.

THIS morning about eleven a clock I set forward on my journey, in company of a *caraván* bound to several parts on the road to *Smyrna*. With these I now travel three hours, and then *conáck* with them upon a convenient plat of grass, on the plains of *Prusia*. In the midway we cross the river *Hippius* runing thro these plains into the *Sinns Cianus*.

J U N E xxii.

WE travel this day to the left of the *Palus Artynia*, which being fed from mount *Olympus*, extends itself the length of many miles, and shews several little islands, in which are one or two compact Greek towns. At length the lake vents itself by the chanel of the river *Rhyndacus*, at which we arrive about six a clock this evening, and passing it at a long wooden bridge, near

the ruins of another built of stone, we take up our *conáck* on the opposite bank, in a village now called *Ulubat*, but antiently *Apol-loma ad Rhyndacum*.

JUNE xxiii.

WE ride eight hours, and then bait on the banks of a little river, which runs towards those called the *Adraſtian plains*. Three hours farther, at the village of *Susegierlick* we cross the fair large and sandy chanel of the *Aſépus*, and proceeding still two hours more we at length *conáck* upon the hills.

JUNE xxiv.

WE this day pass a street called the *Irongate*, and in feven hours arrive at the fair capacious *kane* of *Mandahóra*, where are seven rude prophyry pillars thought to be of *Trojan* original. Here we repose till towards evening, and then once more crossing the *Aſépus*, which rising in *Ida* continues its course under the houses of this village, we proceed about an hour, and then lodge in a grassy plat about an hour to the left of *Balibísar*.

JUNE xxv.

RISING now a little after midnight we proceed feven hours, and then resting in the woods till three in the afternoon, we pass by the usual *conáck* of *Kurugelchick*, and one hour and an half from thence at length lodge in a pleasant green spot of ground on the mountain *Temnus*.

JUNE xxvi.

By four a clock we proceed, and having passed the *Temnus*, by feven a clock we cross the chanel of the *Caicus*, which here is but small, not being far distant from its fountain head. But an hour farther at *Gelemba* we again observe it now much enlarged, and runing by the *kane* and houses of that place, from whence it bends its course on the left hand to *Pergamus*. At this *kane* we repose half an hour, and afterwards in the plains two or three hours more; but about midday we again remount, and in four hours cross the *Hyllus*, at a strait betwixt two hills; in an hour after which, in the midst of a fruitful and delicious plain, we arrive at *Thyatira*.

JUNE

J U N E xxvii.

I REPOSE this day at *Thyatira*, which by the Turks is now called *Akkisar*. My design in staying here was to observe the scattered remains of architecture, which are to be seen in many places, together with some inscriptions. The most remarkable of these is one published, but erroneously, by Sir George Wheler¹; which I copied from a stone coffin, on which it is cut.

ΦΑΒΙΟΣ ΖΩΣΙΜΟΣ ΚΑΤΑΣΚΕΤΑΣΑΣ ΣΟΡΟΝ ΕΘΕΤΟ ΕΠΙ ΤΟ-
ΠΟΥ ΚΑΘΑΡΟΥ ΟΝΤΟΣ ΠΡΟ ΤΗΣ ΠΟΛΕΩΣ ΠΡΟΣ ΤΩΙ ΣΑΜ-
ΒΑΘΕΙΩΙ² ΕΝ ΤΩΙ ΧΑΛΔΑΙΟΥ ΗΕΡΙΒΟΛΩΙ ΠΑΡΑ ΤΗΝ ΔΙΙ-
ΜΟΣΙΑΝ ΟΔΟΝ ΕΑΥΤΩΙ ΕΦ ΩΙ ³ ΤΕΘΗ ΚΑΙ ΤΗΙ ΓΑΤΚΥ-
ΤΑΤΗΙ ΑΥΤΟΤ ΓΥΝΑΙΚΙ ΑΥΡΗΑΙΑΙ ΠΟΝΤΙΑΝΗΙ ΜΗΔΕ-
ΝΟΣ ΕΧΟΝΤΟΣ ΕΤΕΡΟΥ ΕΞΟΥΣΙΑΝ ΘΕΙΝΑΙ ΤΙΝΑ ΕΙΣ
ΤΗΝ ΣΟΡΟΝ ΤΑΥΤΗΝ ΟΣ ΔΕ ΑΝ ΤΟΑΜΗΣΗ Η ΠΟΙΙΣΗ
ΠΑΡΑ ΤΑΥΤΑ ΔΩΣΕΙ ΜΕΝ ΕΙΣ ΤΗΝ ΠΟΛΙΝ ΘΥΑΤΕΙ-
ΡΗΝΩΝ ΑΡΓΥΡΙΟΥ ΔΗΝΑΡΙΑ ΧΕΙΔΙΑ ΠΕΝΤΑΚΟΣΙΑ ΕΙΣ
ΔΕ ΤΟ ΙΕΡΩΤΑΤΟΝ ΤΑΜΕΙΟΝ ΔΗΝΑΡΙΑ ΔΙΣΧΙΛΙΑ ΠΕΝ-
ΤΑΚΟΣΙΑ ΓΕΙΝΟΜΕΝΟΣ ΤΠΕΤΘΥΝΟΣ ΕΞΩΘΕΝ ΤΩΙ
ΤΗΣ ΤΤΥΜΒΩΡΤΧΙΑΣ ΝΟΜΩΙ ΤΑΥΤΗΣ ΤΗΣ ΕΠΙΓΡΑΦΗΣ
ΕΓΡΑΦΗ ΑΠΛΑ ΔΥΩ ΩΝ ΤΟ ΕΤΕΡΟΝ ΕΤΕΘΗ ΕΙΣ ΤΟ ΑΡ-
ΧΕΙΟΝ ΕΓΕΝΕΤΟ ΕΝ ΤΗΙ ΛΑΜΠΡΟΤΑΤΗΙ ΘΥΑΤΕΙΡΗ-
ΝΩΝ ΠΟΛΕΙ ΑΝΩΤΥΠΑΤΩΙ ΚΑΤΙΛΛΩΙ ΣΕΒΗΡΩΙ ΜΗΝΟΣ
ΑΥΔΗΝΑΙΟΥ ⁴ ΤΡΙΣ ΚΑΙ ΔΕΚΑΤΗΙ ΤΠΟ ΜΗΝΟΦΙΛΟΝ
ΙΟΥΛΙΑΝΟΥ ΔΗΜΟΣΙΟΝ ⁵

About five in the evening I begin to move, having now left the *caraván*, and purposing to travel all night towards *Magnesia*. Before it is dark I again ford the *Hyllus*, and after that proceed over those fair plains, in which *Scipio Asiaticus* first won the empire of Asia for the Romans by the defeat of king *Antiochus*⁶, as we find it described by *Livy*.

¹ Pag. 232 of his *Travels*.

² Idem forsitan ac σαλεύειω apud Joseph. Antiq. Jud. edit. Oxon. p. 722. l. ult.

³ ΕΦ Ω. vid. Grut. pag. DCCXLIX. num. 4.

⁴ Αυδηνάιος, ὄνομα μηνὸς πέρης Μακεδόνων, οἱ Ιαναῖοι. Suidas.

⁵ In this inscription the Ι is always added to the last vowel of the dative singular, which in small letters is now usually placed under it.

⁶ Lib. xxxvii.

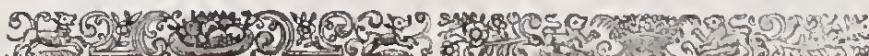
J U N E XXVIII.

By nine a clock this morning I reach *Magnesia*, where I repose myself the remaining part of the day with the following night. And then mounting by five the next morning, after a refreshment of about three hours I arrive at *Smyrna* safe, and in good health, by three a clock in the afternoon.

Μόγω τῷ Θεῷ τῷ ὁδηγεῖτι δόξα.



AN



AN ACCOUNT of a journey from *Smyrna* to *Adriano^ple*, at the end of the year MDCC^I, and begining of MDCC^{II}.

FEBRUARY X. A. D. 1701.

THIS day about nine a clock, being a very rainy morning, I began my departure for *Adrianople* together with Mr. Farington; being favoured with the company of Consul Raye, Signor *Hochepied*, and nine or ten of our nation, as far as *Hadgelar*, where we were detained this evening by the rain.

FEBRUARY xi.

THE rain continuing, we still remain at *Hadgelar*, in the house and company of Signor *Laspaul*. Among the sepulchers adjoining to this village, upon a stone pillar, are to be seen the four following imperfect inscriptions, cut at different times.

B. H. ΣΕΥ .. ΤΥΧΗΣ . . . Π. ΣΕΒΗΡΕΙΝΑ ΣΕΒ.

ΤΗΣ ΑΣΙΑΣ ΚΑΙ ΔΙΣ ΝΕΩΚΟΡΩΝ
ΤΩΝ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΩΝ ΣΜΥΡΝΑΙΩΝ
ΠΟΛΙΣ ΑΝΕΣΤΗΣΕΝ ΕΙΗ ΑΝΘΥΠΑΤΟΥ
ΛΟΛΛΙΑΝΟΥ ΓΕΝΤΙΑΝΟΥ¹

FL. VALENTINIANO
ET FL. VALENTI
VICTORR. S. P.

CONSTAN
CONSTANT
.. NORR. CAESS. D D
..... VI

¹ Vid. *Marmor. Oxon.* p. 297. ed. Prid.

FEBRUARY XII.

We set forward this morning by six a clock, and about mid-day journeying to the left of mount *Sipylus*, and the fair city of *Magnesia*, we first cross a small bridge over a river, which feeds the *Hermus*, and about one a clock pass the *Hermus* itself, on a bridge of an hundred and sixty paces in length. From hence we ride half an hour on the silver banks of that pleasant river, and thence over the plain to *Tartalecui*, where we conack.

FEBRUARY XIII.

We proceed on those fair plains, which lead towards *Thyatira*, and within an hour of the town come to the *Hyllus* or *Phrygus*, not now passable at its usual ford; we therefore ride along its banks, and crossing near to *Thyatira* arrive there in six hours from our last conack. This city is seated in a pleasant and fruitful plain, well watered and wooded, and rich in many productions, but particularly that of excellent cottons. About the city I observed a great quantity of mistletoe on pear and almond trees, so thick on some of them, as to form the appearance of a true evergreen, covered with its own leaves and branches. And the like I afterwards observed on an alder, not far from *Sorrici*. I here took these three Greek inscriptions, which have not, that I remember, been observed by others; and were before omitted by me, when at this place. The first of which is as follows.

ΑΓΑΘΗ ΤΤΧΗΙ

ΟΙ ΠΕΡΙ ΤΩΝ ΗΡΑΚΛΕΑ ΤΩΝ ΠΡΩΤΩΝ ΓΥΜΝΑΣΙΩΝ
ΚΑΙ ΚΑΤΑ ΤΟ ΑΡΧΑΙΟΝ ΤΟΥ ΤΡΙΤΟΥ ΝΕΑΝΙΣΚΟΙ ἈΤΡ.
ΘΗΣΕΑ ΝΙΚΗΦΟΡΟΥ ΘΥΤΑΕΙΡΗΝΟΝ ΝΙΚΗΣΑΝΤΑ ΕΝ-
ΔΟΞΩΣ ΠΑΓΚΡΑΤΙΟΝ ΕΝ ΤΩΙ ΤΠΟ ΑΥΤΩΝ ΕΠΙΤΕΛΟΥ-
ΜΕΝΩΙ ΕΠΙΝΕΙΚΩΙ ΣΕΒΗΡΕΙΩΙ ΑΓΩΝΙ ΤΠΟ ΕΠΙΣΤΑΤΗΝ
ΑΤΡ. ΑΤΤΙΚΟΝ ΖΩΣΙΜΟΥ ²

¹ By this and the following inscription we find, there were several schools here, where young persons were trained up to athletic exercises in honour of *Hercules*. For as *Lipsius* observes, *Saturnal. Serm. L. iii. c.*

<sup>23. Athletis et gladiatoriis Hercules prae-
esse putabatur, qui facta ejus et robur ae-
mularentur. De athletis lapis Gracchus Ro-</sup>

*mae indicat; in quo aliquoties nominati, οι
περὶ τὸν Ἡρακλέα αθλῶσι, id est, Herculanæ
athletæ. So in other inscriptions we have
οι περὶ τὸν Διόνυσον τεχνῖται, artists employ-
ed in the rites of Bacchus.*

² In this inscription the Ι is added to the last vowel of the dative case, as in that above,
pag. 53.

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The second is this:

ΑΙΚΙΝΝΙΟΝ ΡΟΥΦΙΝΟΝ ΣΥΓΚΑΗΤΙΚΟΝ ΥΙΟΝ ΑΙΚΙΝΝΙΟΥ
ΡΟΥΦΙΝΟΥ ΟΙ ΠΕΡΙ ΤΟΝ ΗΡΑΚΛΕΑ ΠΡΩΤΩΝ ΓΥΜΝΑΣΙΩΝ
ΝΕΑΝΙΣΚΟΙ ΚΑΙ ΚΑΤΑ ΤΟ ΑΡΧΑΙΟΝ ΤΟΥ ΤΡΙΤΟΥ.

The third thus:

ΚΛΑΥΔΙΑ . . . ΚΑΤΕΣΚΕΥΑΣΕ ΤΟΝ ΒΩΜΟΝ ΜΟΣΚΙΛΙΑΝΩ
ΤΩ ΤΕΚΝΩ ΜΝΗΜΗΣ ΕΝΕΚΕΝ ΕΑΝ ΔΕ ΤΙΣ ΜΕΤΑΘΗ ΑΥΤΟ
ΥΠΟΚΕΙΣΕΤΑΙ ΤΩ ΦΙΣΚΩ ✠. Φ.

To these may be added the following military epitaph. .

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MILITAVIT ANNIS XV FL CASTVS
FRATER ET PRIMVS HERES EX TESTA
MENTO IVSSVS POSVIT

FEBRUARY XIV.

WE set out by eight a clock this morning, and at an hour's distance from the city once more cross the *Hyllus* at the meeting of two opposite hills, which shut in the plains of *Thyatira*. Hence we pass thro a forest to *Gelemba*, an hour before which place occur caves with square and regular doors cut out of solid rocks. At *Gelemba* we lodge in the great *kane*, by the door of which at the distance of ten or twelve yards runs the famous *Caicus*. Here we drank a pleasant sort of Turkish liquor, made of grapes steeped in water with flower of mustard seed.

FEBRUARY XV.

By break of day we set forward, and in one hour's travel begin to mount the foot of *Tennus*, a low but large and difficult mountain, and at the same place cross the first branch of the *Caicus*, not far from its fountain. We pass the rest of this day thro a stony road on the *Tennus*, and upon the same mountain six hours from our conâck lodge at the unpleasant *Kurugelchick*; where we were joined by two Turks, *Mustaphá* and *Chalil*, who accompanied us to *Adrianople*.

FEBRUARY XVI.

WE travel still over the *Tennus*, and on our right hand discover a large open vale on the top of the mountain, rich and well cultivated.

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tivated. In somewhat more than six hours we had pass'd the *Tenmus*, and enter into a rich plain extended all along the backside of *Ida*, now *Cordág*; at the foot of which, about four miles distant from the road we descry the agreeable seat of *Balibísar*. From this side of *Ida* thro a rich and fertile campain flows the river *Aesépus*, now called *Simow* by the Turks, which we cross by an old bridge at the village of *Mandahóra*, and there take our *co-náck* in a large and convenient *kane*; which is more to be noted for its seven large pillars of course porphyry, now employed to support the roof of this barbarous edifice, but might possibly once stand in some fabric of antient *Troy*, from whence *Mandahóra* is distant about ten hours.

FEBRUARY xvii.

By eight a clock we set forward from *Mandahóra*, leaving the *Aesépus* to surrouнд those hills on our right hand, whilst we proceed a shorter way, over small hills and dales, to meet it again in six hours and a half at *Susgierlick*, where we were entertained in the public *kane* with excellent pike taken in that river.

FEBRUARY xviii.

We begin to bend our course more directly towards the *Héllepong*, and in order thereto proceed over a tract of gentle mountains, which Homer calls *πόδα νείλον Ιδης*¹; now frequented with wild beasts, but pleasant for the prospect they afford us on our right hand, whilst we pursue with our eye the whole course of the *Aesépus* almost as far as *Mihalick*, where it enters the sea. In three hours we pass by an old village and adjoining castle called *Minyás*, which name it likewise lends to the neighbouring plain and lake; the former of which I take to have been antiently called the plains of *Zelia*, and the latter the *λίμνη Δασκυλίτις*². Not far from hence flows a river by the modern name of *Mulvetelée*, passing into the adjoining lake; after which are small hills and pleasant villages, till in five hours we descend into the plains of *Zelia*, which are pleasant, scrtile, and well cultivated. Here we pass thro large fields of wallnut trees, which bring us in five hours and a half to the banks of a fair and broad river; which I take to be the *Tarsius* of the antients, and by the Turks is now vulgarly called *Tarza*. We were here obliged to ferry over

¹ *Iliad.* γ. § 339.

² See *Strabo*, *Lib.* xii. pag. 550.

with our horses three together in a boat, the stream being not seurely fordable. In one hour and half from thence, thro a level and verdant campain to the left of the above mentioned lake, we come to *Humumlée*, and there *conack*. The lake we leisurely viewed from our *conack*, and could compute it to be about thirty miles in circumference, being always full of water, and stord with plenty of fish, among which it then furnished us with de-licious pikes. We were here informed, that the river, we lately pasted, empties it self into this lake, from whence by a new chanel it takes its course to *Mibalick*, where together with the *Aesépus* it soon after falls into the sea. And directly beyond this lake we then beheld the fair exalted hills of *Cyzicus*, and the *Peninsula Cyzicena*.

FEBRUARY xix.

By six this morning we leave *Humumlée*, where we had been lodged not inconveniently in a farmer's house, and riding thro a continued campain begin to view the snowy head of *Ida*. But in some time we again lose sight of it, and in five hours from our setting out approach to *Bozacgée*, seated in the *Adrasian* plains¹; and at the same place to a large and fair river, by the Turks named *Bocléw*², which we leave on our left hand, till in two hours we cross it by a dangerous wooden bridge near *Sorricui*³, and there *conack*.

FEBRUARY xx.

By six we leave *Sorricui*, and proceed a little way, where a fair is held at *St Georgetide*, which continues for the space of ten days, and is much frequented. We then mount a high and steep hill, which bears a stately and extended wood of oak; the lower shrubs of which produce a quantity of galls, and at the roots of these the ground is overspread with an excellent and well scented sage. On the top of this hill in three hours we have a near prospect of the sea, and isle of *Marmora*, with one side of the *Penin-sula* of *Cyzicus*. By the fifth hour we begin to descend on the other side into a pleasant and green plain, and by the seventh

¹ See Homer, *Iliad. c. in catalog.* ¶ 335.

² This river must be the *Granicus*, which seems to bend its course towards the *Penin-sula* of *Cyzicus*.

³ While I was absent from the *conack*,

some Turks brought medals to be sold, which I lost the opportunity of purchasing, because Mr. Farington suspected them to be spies.

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arrive at *Dimotico*, a market town, vulgarly so called from the corruption, as I suppose, of the antient *Didymoticbos*. At this place occurs a moderate river with a wooden bridge; and an hour beyond the town a large one with a fair bridge of stone, built by the munificence of *Sultan Mahomet* the fourth. Here are to be observed the marks of a royal way, denoted by two equal and regular barrows on each side, by which lies the *Grand Signior's* road to the wars. Hitherto our way had all along surrounded mount *Ida*, which often favoured us with the sight of its hoary head, and many rivers flowing from its watry bowels. We had now an hour farther to reach our *conáck* at *Pisinetlée*; but losing our way, we were conducted by a cowherd (who was cudgel'd into this civility by *Mustaphá bey*) to a small pleasant village an hour farther in our journey, where being obliged to force our reception, we were thereupon lodged in the *mosque* of the place. This will appear an instance very singular in Turkey, and was looked upon as an abomination by the *imám* of the parish; who could not enter that place of his worship on the following morning, without saluting us three times with *Stifer Alláb*, that is, *God forbid*.

FEBRUARY xxi.

IN an hard road betwixt barren hills we travel this day towards *Jerdáck*, a village which is the scale for passing the *Hellespont*, seated within half an hour of the antient *Lampsacus*. This road led us within four hours to the shore of the *Propontis*, along which we procced four hours farther to our *conáck*, where the sea contracts it self into that strait chanel, betwixt *Lampsacus* and *Callipolis*. Here we find a large *kane*, in which are about twelve antient marble pillars, each of one fair intire stone, some round, others chanel'd, and of various orders; all which I conclude to have been undoubted reliques of the antient *Lampsacus*. In the yard of the *mosque* at *Jerdáck* I took the two following Greek inscriptions

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ΤΙ. ΚΛΑΥΔΙΩΝ ΦΑΩΡΟΝ ΠΥΚΤΗΝ ΝΕΙΚΗΣΑΝΤΑ ΕΝΔΟΞΩΣ
ΠΑΙΔΩΝ ΑΓΩΝΑ ΤΩΝ ΜΕΓΑΛΩΝ ΤΥΧΕΙΩΝ ΑΓΩΝΟΘΕΤΟΥΝ-
ΤΟΣ Γ. ΙΟΥΔ. ΕΛΕΩΝΕΩΣ ΥΠΟ ΠΑΙΔΟΤΡΙΒΗΝ ΚΛΑΥΔ.

ΚΥΡΟΣ ΑΠΟΛΛΩΝΙΟΥ ΤΗΝ ΤΑΦΗΝ ΚΑΙ ΤΟΝ ΕΝΑΓΙΣΜΟΝ
ΤΩ ΠΑΤΡΙ ΑΠΟΛΛΩΝΙΩ ΑΠΟΛΛΩΝΙΟΥ

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FEBRUARY XXII.

By nine this morning we transport ourselvcs and horfes by boat from *Jerdáck* to *Gallipoli*, and in three quarters of an hour arrive by God's blessing on the European shore; where we bid a joyful farewell to that of Asia, after a severe sea sicknes, which I endured in the paſſage. At which time three years and three months had passed, since my first arrival at *Smyrna*.

CALLIPOLIS, now called *Gallipoli*, was taken by the Turks in the reign of *Orchán*, and anno *Hegirae* 760. It is now a city considerably large, but thinly peopled, and decayed in commerce; tho it still plentifully enjoys that of cottons and aniseed. It stands upon a blunt point of land, betwixt two fmall open bays, of which that to the north is exceeding pleafant, and has on its green banks two fair Turkish sepulchers, the newer and more magnificent being that of *Sinán pashá*. Adjoining is a *kane* of very gentile fashion, with a *mosque*, and other instances of charity. The founthern bay has the walls of the antient arfenal, for the lodging of stores and galleys, which formerly wintered in this place. Besides which the vast rocks, which lie before the town, are very remarkable; being a strange but natural mixture of fand, pebbles, and cockleshells, of which materials all the houfes of the town are built. Here I faw a stone figure of our Savior's baptifm in the river *Jordan*, with another of the *B. Virgin*, carved contrary to the practice of the Greek church in *basso relieveo*.

FEBRUARY XXIII.

WE remain at *Gallipoli* this and the following day, expecting Mr. Farington's *caraván*. The breadth of the *Helleſpont* is here much inlarged, which at *Lampsacus*, according to *Xenophon*, was but fifteen furlongs¹.

FEBRUARY XXV.

WE fet forward from *Gallipoli* in a ſmooth and pleafant road, which by degrees ascending begins quickly to ſhow us the narrow *ifthmus* of the *Cberſoneſus*, with the *Propontis* on one ſide,

¹ Ἐπλευταν οι Αἰγαὶ πολαις, αὐτὸν τὸς οὐ πειλευτίδησα. *Hist. Graec.* L. ii. p. 455.
Λαζαράκης, διεῖχε δὲ ὁ Ἑλλήστολος ταῦτης σάδιος
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and the gulph of *Cardia*, or *Sinus Melas*, on the other, the extreme neck of land being scarce three miles broad. Our road now inclines to the left hand, and so brings us round the blunt end of the gulph, into which flows the fair river *Melas*, which about the fourth hour from *Gallipoli* we cross at a regular and well built stone bridge. Hence we have a stony and mountainous way to *Allahmalée*, a Christian village, where we *conáck*. Before bed time we had here the company of the poor ignorant $\pi\alpha\pi\alpha\zeta$, who among other things told us, that he lately gave the bishop of *Heraclea* seventy dollars to ordain his son a priest.

FEBRUARY XXVI.

We depart from *Allahmalée*, and in two hours and a half arrive at *Malgara*, where I observed a Turkish drink called *bozók*, being a whitish thick beer made of millet seed. This is a large and pleasant town, abounding in the production of honey, and bears the name of a lady, who redeemed its security from plunder for a vast sum of money, from the first Turkish conqueror. It is now reserved as a place of banishment for the prime ministers of the empire. We proceed homeward till about the sixth hour of this day's journey, when having lost my watch the preceding evening, we searched the company upon some suspicion we had entertained of a *catergée*, who yesterday joined us; and accordingly we find it concealed in the corner of his breeches. In ten hours we arrive at *Derricci* a small Christian village, and there *conáck*. I must not omit, that this day we discovered to the left the mountains of *Samothrace*, the course of the *Hebrus*, and more forward the snowy top of *Rodope*.

FEBRUARY XXVII.

In two hours from our *conáck* we arrive at *Uzunkuprée*, a town which has its name from the fair adjoining bridge of an hundred and sixty six arches, and by *Saidino* is called *Ponte d'Erchiene*¹. We were the full space of fifteen minutes in passing this bridge, and towards the further end, which is the most conspicuous part, we observed ten or twelve heads carved on the battlements, that enclose the bridge, in memory, as it is said, of so many chief workmen strangled by *Sultan Morát* the first (who founded it) for building it so narrow, as not to admit of two carts at once. In two hours farther we arrive at the sandy and delicious banks of *Hebrus*, just

¹ *Pag. 42.*

opposite to the city and castle of *Dimotico*, where *Sultan Morát* began to seat the palace of his emperial residence. From hence we pass along the bank of that slow, but then plentiful river¹, and after two hours and a half take up our lodgings in a cold inconvenient hovel at *Elchilée*.

FEBRUARY XXVIII.

By five this morning we proceed in a level sandy road on the banks of the *Hebrus*, where we observe a vast quantity of wild fowl, and by nine arrive at the palace of my Lord Paget in *Adrianople*, being filled with admiration at the beauty of the river, campain, and prospect of so fair a city.

ADRIANO PLE is seated on the *Hebrus*, at the place where it receives the *Tunsa* and the *Harda*. It is a fair and compact city, about five miles in circumference, rising gently on the side of a small hill from the banks of the *Hebrus* and *Tunsa*². What is there remarkable, may be reduced to the *seraglio*, *mosques*, and *sharshées*. The *seraglio* is built in a flat and verdant plain, at the foot of the city betwixt the *Hebrus* and *Tunsa*, but more immediately upon the banks of the latter. It is surrounded almost on all sides with a thick grove of beech and elm, which within form the resemblance of a park, and outwardly yeild a grateful prospect, in regard that the countrey about it is almost wholly naked of wood. A square wall encloses the fabric, which is truly mean, and of a confused intricate figure; but, as is commonly said, well contrived for convenience. The matter is plain free stone, and the covering of lead. Nothing can be more grateful to the eye, than the sight of this level verdant situation; and yet in regard of its lowness, and too near approach to the rivers, nothing more unwholesome. It seems to stand in the very same place, where Constantine gave that famous defeat to *Licinius*³.

THE *mosques* observable in this place are those called *Eskijamí*, the *Three Sheriffs*, *Sultan Bajazet*, and *Sultan Selim*. The first

¹ The *Hebrus* is large and full in winter, yet carries but a slow stream, which in the summer time is scarce able to flow. Hence *Ovid. Heroid. ii. y. 115.*

Et sacer admissas exigit Hebrus aquas.
But *Virgil*, who, as appears from his geo-

graphy of *Troy*, was not so well acquainted with these parts, says: *Aen. i. y. 321.*

Volucremque fuga praevertitur Hebrum.

² *Zosimus, Lib. ii. p. 95. ed. Oxon. Kast.*

³ *Ibidem.*

of these is so called from its antiquity, which *Morát* the first here established, and converted to that profane use from a Christian church, of which it still retains the intire figure. The second is to be observed for the abundance of porphyry, which appears in the fabric, and the various architecture of the four *minarées*, together with many serpentine pillars, which support the porticos of the area. The third likewise has many serpentine pillars round the area, and those of interrupted veins and distinct materials, which seem to persuade one, that they are of a cast substance. But the greatest beauty of this city, and as some think of the whole empire, is the *mosque* of *Sultan Selim* the second, built by him out of materials brought chiefly from the ruins of *Famagusta*, in the island of *Cyprus*. Yet in regard that the area is not square, nor supported with so rich or correspondent pillars, excepting four that adorn the front, I esteem it inferior to the two noble *mosques* of *Solymán* and *Achmét* at *Constantinople*. Otherwise it is a fair structure, built with great conformity of its several parts, and like a theatre consisting of one stately room ending upwards in a cupola. It is adorned with four regular and beautiful *minarées*, each of which has two hundred forty four stairs leading into the uppermost balcony. For in each of them are three balconies, that imitate the capitals of pillars, between which the whole body of the column is regularly chanel'd. One of these is famous for having three staircases winding one within another, of which one opens into the three balconies, another into the two highest, and the third only into the last of all. From thence we once took the opportunity of viewing the several parts and precincts of the city, the plat of the *seraglio*, the course of the rivers, and the face of the countrey below, with the busy care of the several mortals, wandering like so many ants on that spot of earth then subject to our eye. Here I could not but pleasantly recollect those *tempa serena* of *Lucretius*, L. i. §. 8.

*Despicere unde queas alios, passumque videre
Errare, atque viam palantes quaerere vitae.*

Adjoining to *Sultan Bajazet* I was shewn a madhouse or bedlam, which is a noble building of a round figure, covered with a regular cupola, and having a large area in the middle, and therein a cistern of water; but conveniently divided all round into six chambers made archwise, and opening on one side into the area. Here were kept three madmen, all furnished with clean mats, and tied

tied close down to the pavement by an iron chain fastned about their neck for greater security.

THE *sharshées* are two long and fair porticos, walled with brick or stone on each side, and securely arched over head, so as to resist fire. The shorter of these adjoins to *Sultan Selim*, and is appropriated to the shoemakers: but the other, being about four hundred paces long and six broad, is filled with shops of various trades; all which are shallow niches in the wall of equal hight and breadth, and in general so regularly contrived, that the whole reprents a beautiful and rich gallery.

THE whole way from *Gallipoli* to this place lies thro a campain rich and fertile, abounding with villages, and those almost all Christian. However it wants the lovely fountains, frequent woods, and pretious shrubs of Asia.

MARCH iv.

SIR Robert Sutton, successor to my Lord Paget in his embassy to this port, who arrived at *Adrianople* about Christmas last, had now his audience of the grand *vizir*. My Lord Paget, with the retinue of his own family, and the English merchants now resident in this place, repaired to the palace of his successor about twelve a clock. At the same time came thither from the *vizir*, the *chiansh bashá*, with an horse richly furnished for Sir Robert, and about thirty others for the use of his retinue. From hence the two ambassadors conducted by the *chiansh bashá*, and attended by a large retinue of the English nation, proceeded to the palace of the *vizir*. Upon their arrival into the room of audience, the *vizir* soon entered, supported by his *kayá* and the *reis effendi*, and congratulated with acclamations from his whole attendance. He seated himself in a corner of the *sophá*, and the ambassadors sat before him on two stools. After the old ambassador had presented his successor, *Mauro Cordato*, who is master of the ceremonies, and *dragoman* to the *Ottoman Port*, gave and returned the ordinary forms. Then Sir Robert delivered his Majesty's letter to the *vizir*, after which both ambassadors were treated with coffee, sherbet, and incense, and the whole ceremony at length concluded with the distribution of about twenty four *castans*. The *vizir* is about sixty years of age, of short stature, and a meek serene

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countenance ; tho at this time somewhat moved with concern for the loss of his only son of two years of age. At this ceremony he appeared in the *selimée* turbant, which is a cap of state, and was conceived to do an honour to the audience. It resembles the form of a sugar loaf, only indented at the bottom on four sides, and bound obliquely with a gold ribban.

MARCH X.

SIR Robert Sutton had his audience of the *Grand Signior* at the *seraglio* of this place, whither he rode about seven a clock on a horse of state, conducted as before by the *chiauſh bashá*, and attended by all the gentlemen of the English nation. At these audiences it is the custom of the Turks to show somewhat of the discipline of their soldiery, together with the proceſs of their justice at the *diván*. And therefore so soon as his Excellency entered at the first gate of the *seraglio*, into a large and green court, ſome companies of the *janifaries*, ranged on the opposite ſide, ran with a great but orderly agility, to ſeize ſeveral dishes of their broth, placed at equal diſtances on the area of the court ; after which they were remanded by the *churbegeés*, who ran among the ranks, and instead of words of command ordered them by a certain gentle hisſing into their reſpective ſtations. During this entertainment his Excellency advanced towards the *diván*, which is an oblong ground room, opening on the front into a gallery, by which only it is separated from the court above mentioned. It is furrounded on three ſides with benches, covered with embroidered ſilk, and the floor is laid with carpets ; otherwife it has no ornaments, nor embellishments of the walls. On the middle of the principal bench, where it faces the door, ſat the grand *vizír*, having one crimson cushion under him, and another to ſupport his feet, by which only he is diſtinguished from other ministers of the *diván*. On his right hand upon the ſame bench ſat the *caimekám*, and *Abdolla pashá* ſon of the late *Mustaphá Kioprili* ; but on his left hand the two *cadiſekérs*, the one for Europe, and the other for Asia. The two ſide benches were took up on the right hand by the *nishangeé bashá*, and on the left by the *teſterdár*. Sitting in this order, and maintaining a profound silence, they diſpatched ſeveral cauſes of *meum* and *tuum*, in the ſight of the ambassador and his retinue ; in which there was no other proceſs, than the reading ſeveral ſuccinct caſes to the *vizír*, together with the depositions

depositions of the witnesses, upon which he pronounced his verdict, and the parties were immediately dismissed. But in these, and other affairs of the like kind, the *reis effendi* and *teskergée bashá* also assist; the former of which acts as folicitor and secretary to the *diván*, and the latter is the gentleman usher, who carries all messages and papers betwixt the *Grand Signior* and the *vizír*. In the mean time the *Grand Signior*, tho he is never personally present in the *diván*, yet he is at his pleasure a witness and overseer of all that passes there, by means of a lattice window, which looks out of his apartments just over the seat of the *vizír*. These ceremonies ended, there were brought in divers tables and placed before the *vizír*, the *cimekám*, the *nishangée*, and the *tesfírdár*; all which being presently furnished with various Turkish dishes, the ambassador sat down to eat with the *vizír*, and several gentlemen of the English nation with the other ministers. After this repast (the *vizír* having first demanded leave for an audience) the ambassador and all the rest of the English gentlemen retired into a distant part of the gallery, which fronts the chamber of the *diván*, and other lodgings of the *seraglio*, where they were all vested, and then sat down in order till the *diván* arose, and the several ministers proceeded to the apartments of the *Grand Signior*, the latter preceding, and the *vizír* closing the procession. Soon after his Excellency was called to take his audience, to which himself, and four gentlemen, who were permitted to follow him, were conducted by two *capigées*, who led them on each hand, in a rude and hasty manner. By these they were thus carried from the outward gallery into a square paved court, and from thence into a railed entry, that landed them immediately in a ground room, which was the presence chamber of the *Grand Signior*. It was a small room, of a square figure, lined on the sides and floor with crimson silk, and that embellished with an high and thick embroidery of golden branches. In one corner was erected an high *sophá* about two yards square, adorned with four rich cushions, and an answerable *minderá*, all of which were in a manner intirely covered with embroidery of pearl. On this sat the *Grand Signior*, regarding the ambassador in an oblique posture, and sinking so deep in the *minderá*, that his thighs and legs were not to be distinguished. The other ornaments of the room were two windows, each furnished with two cushions, answerable to those of the *sophá*; and more remarkable than all the rest, a royal chimney cloth, embroidered like the covering of the floor
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and walls, but enriched beyond these with various large jewels set in the corners of the work, such as pearls, diamonds, rubies, emeralds and the like. The ambassador stood about three yards distance from the *Grand Signior*, where he delivered himself to *Mauro Cordato* in Italian, and he interpreted his credentials immediately to the *Sultan*. But his Majesty's letter being handed to *Mauro Cordato* by his Excellency, it was by him delivered to the *nishangée*, by him to *Abdolla pashá*, and by him to the *vizir*, who laid it before the *Grand Signior's* feet. Upon this the *Sultan* directed himself to the *vizir* in these words: "We esteem the King " of England as our freind. On our part, all due regard shall be " had to the facred capitulations made with him; and accordingly " be it your care to see them maintained." This said, the am-
bassador was dismissed the audience room, with the four gentle-
men, who only were permitted to attend the ceremony. Upon
which all the English immediately mounted at the outward gate
of the *seraglio*, and there stood in rank and order to see the *jani-
faries* dismissed; which is done in a regular but hasty manner, and
seems to refemble the *decurcio* of the Roman army. After this the
feveral Ministers of the *diván*, begining with the least, and end-
ing with the *vizir*, made a pompous procession on horses of state,
adorned with broad guilded bridles, and housing of the French
fashion, wrought with nothing but entire thread of gold. After
these followed his Excellency on an horse and furniture of the
fame quality, and so returned with the attendance of several *chi-
aushes*, and all thofe of the English nation, to his own palace.

THE habit of the feveral ministers of the *diván* is exactly of the same form with the *caftans*, which they ordinarily pre-
sent; but the matter is either filk, or fine grogran, fur'd with
fable. Their turbant is that called the *mugevezée*; but that of the
Grand Signior is the fame with the common *agás*, only distingui-
shed by three finall, but fine and curious black feathers, with waves
of ash colour, being the outmost feathers on the wing of the *ar-
guron*, a rare Mufcovian bird. The present made by the ambaf-
fador to the *Grand Signior* consisted of fifty pieces of different
materials, as cloth, filk, sattin, velvet, and the like, all of them
at the charge of the company.

MARCH xviii.

My Lord Paget had this day his audience of leave of the grand *vizir*, where, besides the ordinary forms and ceremonies of coffee, sherbet, incense, and *caftans*, the letters of the *vizir* and *Sultan* were brought in by the *reis effendi*; and being by him reverently kissed and delivered to the *vizir*, were by the *vizir* kissed in the same manner, and delivered to the ambassador, by whom they were kissed again, and committed to Mr. Paget, who bore them respectfully on his two hands during the whole procession to his Excellency's palace. The *Sultan's* letter was enclosed in a cover of cloth of gold, about a foot broad, and a yard long, being wrote on fine Persian paper made of silk.

MARCH xix.

His Excellency had audience of leave of the *mufti*, a reverend person about seventy years of age, somewhat corpulent, of an insolent and proud aspect, well learned in the Turkish law and polity, and formerly *bogia* to the present *Sultan*. He is extremely covetous, and at the same time prodigiously rich, having hoarded, as it is said, one great part of the current gold of the empire, and likewise purchased many vast and extensive possessions about *Erzerum* and *Trebisond*, which is his native countrey.

MARCH xx.

His Excellency had audience of leave of the *caimekám*, a courteous, affable, and obliging person, of no great estate or character, except that his wife is sister to the *Sultan*. The same day, being Friday, I saw the *Grand Signior* riding from his palace to the *mosque*, where he paid his public devotion. He was preceded by several *chianches*, then by six led horses, and then by several *solácks*, habited in short vests, and adorned with high caps of gilt silver. On each side of his horse walked three *churbegées*, bearing on their heads so many beautiful white ostrich feathers; and behind him followed on stately horses his *selictár agá*, and *kystér agá*. He is of a low stature, but broad and corpulent; has a short neck, a large squat yellow fleshy face, a flat nose, a low forehead, with cheeks remarkably long and squabby. In his coins

he styles himself, *The mighty Sultan of the earth and sea, a Sultan son of a Sultan, Sultan Mustafá Han, son of emperor Mahomet.*

MARCH XXI.

His Excellency had audience of leave of the *nakeib effendi*, who is the son of the *mufti*, and by patent the designed successor of his father. He is about thirty years of age, of good parts and behaviour, naturally arrogant, but made shew on this occasion of an affected courtesy.

MARCH XXIV.

I THIS day saw the heads of five robbers brought from *Natolia*, and laid at the gate of the *seraglio*, where by custom they are to remain three suns. They are only the skins of so many criminals heads stuffed with straw.

APRIL ii. A. D. 1702.

His Excellency, my Lord Paget, now drawing near to his departure was this day invited to the grand *vizir's*, where among many singular tokens of that esteem, which this court truely bears to his person and character, he received a splendid feast, together with the present of a sable vest to the value of two purses; as also a noble horse, and sumptuous furniture, computed at three more.

APRIL iii.

I SAW the extravagant devotion of an enthusiastic sect of Turks which they publicly acted in the manner following. After their ordinary midday *namáz* at a little *mosque* of this city, they repaired to an adjoining chapel, where were seated many Turks of different quality, who came thither as spectators only, and to entertain their curiosity. These several *devotées*, who were to act their part, were decently ranked in circular seats, till the prior of their order entered, on which they all rose to reverence him. He immediately seated himself in the corner of the room, and with the whole fraternity struck up a religious hymn, which they carried on in a decent, solemn, and harmonious manner. This done, they rose upon their feet, to the number of about sixty persons,

persons, and form'd themselves into a close ring, each one holding his hands on the breast and neck of his foreman. In this posture they advanced round, repeating with a deep and forcible voice, *Hú bú*; at the same time stamping violently on the ground, and with great force throwing their heads towards the center of the ring. Soon after two step'd within the circle, and turn'd swiftly upon their heel; upon which the whole company quickened their motion, and grew into a warmth and fury, which is rather to be admired, than expressed in words. For two hours and an half they acted a continual fury, sometimes hugging one another in a cluster, at other times kneeling in a confused company, and then running round in a circle without cessation¹, throwing about their hands, tossing their heads, and repeating in hidious cries, *Hú héy, Allá hulláb, Allá bú*, or, *Allá héy*. As they grew hoarser and weaker, both their sound and action exactly resembled the barking and snarling of dogs²; till at length being covercd with sweat, and worked up to the last pitch of extasy, they concluded with certain verficles, which they repeated from the mouth of the prior, and so dismissed us³.

APRIL iv.

My Lord Paget paid his last visit this morning to the *vizir kayá*, who presented him with a gentle horse and furniture. In the afternoon he likewise took his last leave of the *reis effendi*, who honoured him with the like present, and dismissed him with expressions, that witnessed the sincere and cordial respect he bore him. I shall conclude this narrative with observing only, that about Adrianople grows an excellent red wine, which I take to be that mentioned by *Hesiod* in his *Oper et Dies*, L. ii. § 107, where he says: Πετραιν τε σκίν, καὶ βίστινος οἶνος.

¹ See Pythagorae Symbolum, Προσκυνεῖ περιπέρωμος, apud L. Gyrard. Tom. ii. p. 669. edit. 1696.

² So Justin describing the rites of Bacchus, with which the soldiers of Alexander were inspired says: *Exereitus ejus repentino impetu mentis in sacros dei ululatus instinetus, cum stupore regis, sine noxa discurrat.* Lib. xii. c. 7.

³ See this feet described, and called *Tzopilar*, by Hottinger, Hist. orient. pag. 365.





AN ACCOUNT of a journey from *Adrianople*, thro
Bulgaria, Walachia, Transylvania, Hungary, Germany, Flanders, Holland, and thence to *England*,
in the years MDCCII and MDCCIII.

APRIL viii. A.D. 1702.

THIS day about ten a clock my Lord Paget set out from *Adrianople*, and began his journey homeward with a splendid equipage. First proceeded two *chaises*, and six *janisaries*; then the three flags of the *arms of England*, the *union*, and *St. George*, after these the gentlemen of the horse, with thirteen led horses; next the *agá*, appointed by the government to conduct his Excellency; who was followed by four coaches, each drawn by six horses, in the last of which rode his Excellency himself, and in the first some gentlemen, who accompanied him in this journey; namely, Count *Gylderstope* of Sweden, Mr. George Montague, nephew to my Lord Hallifax, and his tutor Mr. *Gangan*.

FOR convenience of carriage, and accommodations of the journey, his Excellency was furnished with sevety one waggons, which were to attend him to the extreme bounds of the Turkish empire, at the sole charge of the Port. Tho this was but the least mark of esteem, which he received from thence; as it may be reasonably computed, that they presented him to the value of near twenty purses of money, since his last arrival at *Adrianople*, in the following particulars. For the fitting up of his palace in that city, five hundred dollars: for the cushions and other furniture of two *sophá* rooms, fix hundred: for a stately horse from the grand *vizir*, five hundred: for the rich furniture of the same, a thousand: for a fable vest at the same time, a thoufand: for an horse and furniture from the *vizir kayá*, five hundred: for the like from the *reis effendi*, five hundred: for fifteen mules from the government,
at

to HOLLAND and thence to ENGLAND. 73

at about fifty dollars each, seven hundred and fifty: for seventy two horses from the same, at thirty dollars each, two thousand one hundred and sixty: and lastly for one hundred days *tain*, or *allowance*, from the Port, at the rate of fifty dollars a day, making five thousand.

THIS day his Excellency and his retinue travel slowly about the space of fifteen miles, and about three a clock arrive at a small village called *Senigée*, where we find the waggons disposed in their several stations, the apartments of each company allotted, and three tents (tho not pitched this evening) ready for the service of his Excellency; which I here mention once for all, as being the constant method of each following *conack*.

APRIL ix.

FROM *Senigée* we proceed this morning in three hours to *Cokk Derocut*, and from thence in the like time to *Boiák Dervent*, where we find his Excellency's tents orderly and conveniently placed, and all things regularly disposed for this night's lodging. Here we saw an old Bulgar Christian, named *Staón*, aged one hundred and twenty years¹; who told us, that he had all his life time been subject to great and continual sickness, and had three times changed his teeth, once in his infancy, and twice in his old age. They were now for the most part intire; his senses of hearing and tasting very lively, and his sight but little decayed; his beard and his eyebrows lately became perfectly black, but the hair of his head milk white, and the skin of his breast like the bark of an old weather beaten beech.

APRIL x.

WE travel this day from *Dervent* to *Jenicui*, having hitherto found the country to consist of a level campain, and a soil that promised fertility, were it more happily furnished with inhabitants, water, and wood.

APRIL xi.

WE now proceed from *Jenicui* to *Pashácu*, so called from the residence of *Achmét Gerai Sultan*, who is a Tartar prince, happily

¹ Concerning the longevity of the Aemimonian Thracians see *Amm. Marc.* L. xxvii. c. 4.
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banished from his own barbarous country to this fair and delightful village, situated in a verdant plain, that is better furnished with wood, than the campain we had lately passed; and watered with a small river, which seems to rise from the bowels of mount *Haemus*, and bend its course towards the *Tunsa*.

APRIL xii.

FROM *Pasháci* we arrive at *Comorwa*, a rich well cultivated village, and plentifully supplied both with wood and water. In our way hitherto from *Adrianople* we sometimes observed drummers, placed in the nature of watchmen, to give notice of the security of the road.

APRIL xiii.

FROM *Comorwa* we procced in two hours and a half to *Dobral*, leaving in view to the right hand a large Turkish town called *Cornibat*, famous for dying, and preparing the fine purple and yellow leather of this country, which it vends in great quantities. From *Dobral* we begin to ascend the foot of *Haemus*, where the way winds so artificially, as to take away the difficulty of ascent. Here crossing a rapid river, which forms its chanel in the body of the mountain, and thro a variety of diverting shades and clifts, we arrive at length at an open plain on the top of the hill, and therein at a true country paradise of Bulgar Christians called *Challikcavák*¹; where a new church has been lately obtained for the inhabitants, by the interest of Count *Oetingh*, cm-bassador extraordinary from his Imperial Majesty. Here the dam-sels of the parish entertained us this evening with a dance, which tho performed with no great art or variety, yet had a certain plainness and simplicity, which was truly grateful. The women here wear as ornaments, a sort of cravat consisting of various silver coins, and large boffy silver bracelets; who dismissed us the next morning with corn strewed in our way.

¹ Here I happily attained that wish of
Virgil, Georg. Lib. ii. §. 488.

*O, qui me gelidis in vallis Haemi
Sifat, et ingenti ramorum protegat umbra!*

APRIL XIV.

ON the top of the hill we proceed for some time in a level road, thro a stately grove of oaks ; after which the way begins to descend, and being shortened by the pleasure of the shady scene on each side, leads unexpectedly into the adjoining plain. In this we travel about an hour, near the foot of the delightful *Haemus*, and then find our quarters ready to receive us at a Christian village, called *Trágoe*. And indeed all the villages, which we had hitherto passed from *Adrianople*, were intirely inhabited by Christians, who by nation are Bulgarians, but by their faith of the Greek communion.

APRIL XV.

WE still continue our journey at the foot of the mountain, till in an hour's time we arrive at *Eski Stambol* ; from whence the way, now leaving *Haemus* at our backs, carries us in four hours more to the first Turkish village, which had occurred in our progress, called *Boklar*. Mount *Haemus* being the limit, that divides *Thracia* from *Bulgaria*, or *Moesia Inferior* of the antients, we made this day's journey in the latter ; which hereabouts appears as pleasant, as a just mixture of hills and vales, woods and lawns, arable and pasture ground can make it. The above mentioned *Eski Stambol* is a name given by the Turks to the remains of an ancient city (possibly the *Oescus Triballorum*) which at the foot of *Haemus* shews the intire tract of two walls ; the inward square, and of about a mile in circumference ; the outward almost circular, and containing the compass of five miles. But besides these it has no reliques of carved work, or any inscription, that may give light to the true name or history of the place. In one corner only of the inward wall are several crosses, and an image of the *Panayía*, or *Virgin Mother*, barbarously cut, with two or three rude lines of modern Greek characters, in which nothing but the word *Baσηλίσσαν*, or *Queen*, was now legible, and that corruptly written, as it is here copied. By the abovementioned walls runs a small river from the *Haemus*, now called by the Italians *Monte Argentato*, and by the Turks *Batkán*.

APRIL

APRIL XVI.

OVER a country, which is truly rich, as well as pleafant, and curiously varied by easy ascents and descents, we proceed in five hours from *Trágœ* to *Arnoútezi*; a village whose inhabitants are of the Greek communion, tho its name implies them to be of Albanian original.

APRIL XVII.

THRO a pleafant tract of country, containing a grateful variety of arable ground, pasture, and woods, we arrive in seven hours at *Uzungée Alon*. By the way we paſſed feveral villages, as like-ſiſe a large market town, wherein are feven mosques, and a palace of the pashá of *Nicopoli*, which goes by the name of *Rásgrad*. The *cadi* of this place, with an *alai*, *chianik*, and other officers, came an hour out of town to meet his Excellency.

APRIL XVIII.

THRO a like country, only a little more woody, we continue our journey to *Uppéer*. And from thence the day following, where we firſt begin to fee the *Dambe*, we proceed thro a rich, pleafant, and well cultivated country, till about twelve a clock we arrive at *Tutracán*, on the banks of the river.

APRIL XX.

We ſtay at this place, employed in the care of tranſporting his Excellency's equipage on the other ſide of the water; and in the mean time cannot but reflect with pleasure on the agrable tract of ground, which for five days we had paſſed thro in *Moesia Inferior*. A country, which (however decrid by Ovid, and diſparaged by our modern geographers) for the richneſs of its ſoil, variety of riſing and falling ground, elegancy of proſpect, and a competent provision of wood and water, is perhaps not to be paſſealed by any other ſpot in the univerſe. But tho the whole tract of this country, which deſcends gradually from the foot of the *Haemus* to the banks of the *Dambe*, is rich both in arable and paſture ground; yet the inhabitants ſeem exceſſive poor, and are deſcended from the injuries of the weather by houſes very meanly built.

APRIL

APRIL xxi.

His Excellency and his retinue this day pass the *Danube*, between *Turacán* and the mouth of the *Argisch*, about eight in the morning, at a passage about a mile broad. Upon landing, his Excellency was complimented from the Prince of *Valachia* by his cousin german Count *Tomášo Cantacuzéno*, and was received by a guard of fifty men, and two coaches of six. In the finer of these his Excellency rode about a mile into *Valachia*, along the banks of the *Argisch*, and then alighting was entertained under three rich tents, sent likewise by the Prince for his reception.

APRIL xxii.

His Excellency continued his journey about six hours thro the *Valachian*, a country which on this side is exactly level, and luxuriantly rich, but desolate for want of culture and inhabitants. In the road we meet with wooden crosses, erected in many places to excite the devotion of Christian travelers; as also a convent of monks about two hours short of our *condák*, near which the *Argisch* receives the channel of the *Dembowitza*. At length we arrive at a miserable collection of cottages, scarce deserving the name of a village, but blessed with the convenience of a delicious and healthy water; where we find the tents both of the Prince and his Excellency ready pitched for his entertainment this evening. We were conducted hither by Count *Tomášo*, who undertook the care of the public *rain* to be furnished for his Excellency.

APRIL xxiii.

We proceed four hours thro a pleasant wood, enriched with *Lilia convallium*, and other flowers; and at length pitch our tents at *Popešt*, which in the *Valachian* language signifies the same as *Priest-town*. Here about five in the evening his Excellency received an express by Baron *Minsheim* from Count *Rabenin*, with the most unhappy news of the death of his Britannic Majesty, on the eighth past.

APRIL xxiv.

ABOUT seven this morning his Excellency set forward, and prepared for his entrance into *Bucureſt*, which is distant about an hour and half from *Popeſt*. Not far from his *conāck* he was met by a rich coach from the Prince of *Valachia*, complimented by his two eldest sons, and attended with a guard of about five hundred men. His Excellency having mounted the coach, preceded by the guard, made his entry about nine a clock ; when he was conducted to a spare palace of the Prince, near that of his own residence, and entreated to use it as his own home. It is a fair and gentle houſe, built of ſtone, and covered agreeably to the custom of this place with wooden tiles ; and being furnished with apartments after the Christian fashion, may be eſteemed magniſcent, when compared with the barbarous edifices of the neighbouring Turks. From the front it looks into a large garden, and from the right wing into another of ſomewhat a leſſer size ; both which are agreeable, and afford a convenience of ſhade and verdure.

THIS afternoon the Prince came on horseback thro' the leſſer garden to visit his Excellency, who met him at the garden door, and could ſcarce prevail with him to precede in going up ſtairs. He returned in an hour, and gave opportunity to his uncle, *Constantinus Cantacuzenus*, who has the office of grand ſtoličcho, or ſteward, in this court, to pay my Lord the fame compliment. The name of the Prince is *Joannes Constantinus Baffarabas*, who has enjoyed the principality about thirteen years, having ſucceeded *Serbanus Cantacuzenus*, brother of the above mentioned *Constantinus Stoličchus*. He is a promoter of good order and discipline in the province, a reviver of architecture, and encourager of learning both at *Bucureſt* and other places of the principality ; into which he has introduced two or three printing presses, and from thence published ſeveral books uſeful for the inſtruction and edification of the Greek church. He is about forty ſeven years of age, and has ten children, four of them ſons ; the ſecond of whom, being about fourteen years of age, is well inſtruſted in the Latin and Greek languages. He is of an affable, mild, and courteous temper ; generous, careful of the education of his family, and a great encourager of religion ; and therefore liberal in his

disbursements for printing and giving away books, crediting of monasteries, adorning of churches, and other acts of piety. His uncle, *Constantinus Cantacuzenus Stolnicus*, is an elderly person, who has traveled over most parts of Europe; is skilled in the controversies of their own church, as well as in the several liberal sciences; is also well versed in politics, and by his counsels chiefly sustains the present Prince, with the honour and interest of the principality.

APRIL xxv.

By nine this morning his Excellency returned the visit to the Prince, who received him at the head of the stairs, and entertained him at first with a conference of about an hour and half long. After this his Excellency was conducted into the dining room, where, at a long table sumptuously spread, the Prince and his Excellency (the former on the right hand) sat down to dinner. On the side of his Excellency sat the two eldest sons of the Prince, his son in law, with the other nobles and officers of the court. On the side of the Prince sat in order the retinue of the ambassador, with our conductor Count *Tomaso* and others. The feast was protracted at least seven hours, during which passed a great variety of courses, consisting of excellent and costly dishes, with plenty of exquisite wine, and many ceremonious healths; the principal of which were to the *Grand Signior*, the *Emperor of Germany*, and the *Queen of England*, all seconded with salvoes from the soldiery in the adjoining court. Here we were made witnesses to a singular air of courtesy, hospitality, and gentle behavior in the Valachian nobility; but more particularly in the Prince himself, who drank to the health and prosperity of each stranger at the table. At the conclusion of the entertainment he vested his Excellency with a rich silk robe of the Valachian fashion, lined with an excellent sable fur, upon which his Excellency and his retinue return to their own lodgings. The palace of the Prince, with the apartments, and gardens adjoining, are truly noble and magnificent; and tho not to be compared with those of some other Christian princes, yet much preferable to those, in which the ignorant Turks so ambitiously please themselves.

APRIL

APRIL XXVI.

THIS morning we had divine service and a sermon in his Excellency's family, and in the afternoon he paid a short visit to the Patriarch of *Jerusalem*, but afterwards a much longer to the abovementioned *Constantinus Cantacuzenus Stolnicus*. The Patriarch lodges in a large *kane*, built by the present Prince; where are large apartments and magazines for merchants, the rent of which may yield about twenty purses *per annum*, and is by the Prince consigned into that Patriarch's hands for the use of the *Holy sepulcher*.

APRIL XXVII.

I VISITED the prefs of this place, where I found them printing some pieces of devotion in Arabic, under the care of the Patriarch of *Antioch* to be distributed by him about his dioces. Beside this, they were undertaking to print a large *folio* of the famous *Maximus Hieromonachus*, called *Κυριακοδρόμιον*, or *The course of the several Sundays throughout the year*. On this occasion I there bought several books, among which one containing all the *Liturgies*, *Hymns*, *Rituals*, *Lessons*, and other devotional tracts, used on all occasions in the Greek church through the course of the whole year.

THIS morning the Prince gave his Excellency another visit, which he returned in the afternoon, and at the same time took leave, with a deep sense of the generous, honourable, and affectionate treatment he had received in this court. After his return from the Prince, he received a visit of leave from *Constantinus Cantacuzenus Stolnicus*, who then presented him with a gentle horse of the Valachian breed, and at the same time two of the same breed and quality were sent him from the Prince, upon which his Excellency answered the present of *Constantinus* with a diamond ring, valued at three hundred pounds.

THE same day I was favoured with a present of several Greek books, lately printed in this province, from *Κῦρ Γεώργιος Καζεώτης*; as likewise of some others from his Excellency *Constantinus Cantacuzenus*. Towards the evening our curiosity led us half an hour out of town to visit a convent, called in the Valachian tongue the *Catrocán*,

Catrocán, and founded by the late Prince *Serbanus Cantacuzenus*. It is accounted the most beautiful of several in this province, founded by the present and preceding princes; and therefore a short account of this may serve for a specimen of the rest. It is situated on the *Dembowitzza*, which washes it on two sides; while the other two are adorned with a grove of lovely, close, and shady oaks. The neighbouring pastures afford an entertaining prospect, whereas the parts nearer to the convent are disposed into orderly vineyards, and gardens. The fabric it self is an oblong quadrangle, built of regular and massy stone, divided into cells for about forty monks, with lodgings for the abbot, a common refectory, kitchin, and other public apartments. But in the middle of the area is erected the chapel, of the exact figure of the antient Greek churches, that is, distinguished into the *váglis* or porch, *πρόσθιον* or outward chapel, *váos* or body of the church, *βῆμα* or chancel, and *θυσιαστήριον* or altar; the several parts being regular and stately, supported with pillars, and covered with high cupolas. The ornaments of painting, gilding, and embroidery are exceeding rich; and the pictures so numerously disposed, as to possess every part of the church in the inside, as well as the outside of the front. Here is shewn the monument of *Serbán* the founder, with his princeps, his brother, and other relations; whose pictures, among others, possess a great part of the western wall. Here also are kept the two *horse tails*, allowed by the Turks to be carried before this prince, together with the *bandiéra* of the province, and another called the *pascbal colours*, in which the whole *Trinity* is profanely represented, and *God the Father* expressed by the image of a reverend old man, looking over the body of our *Savior*, as it hangs upon the cross.

BUCUREST is a large stragling town of a very peculiar make, the outward parts very mean, consisting of houses, the greater part of which is under ground like our cellars, and covered over at the top with straw or bark of trees. The better sort of houses are about the palace of the Prince, which are covered with handsome wooden tiles, the walls built of substantial stone, and the yards and gardens always very wide¹, enclofed with intire trunks of oaks set as near as possible to each other. The streets appear

¹ *Suum quisque domum spatio circundat, scitia aedificandi. Ne caementorum apud illos, sive adversus casus ignis remedium, sive in- aut tegularum usus.* Tacit. De m. G. c. xvi.

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like a continued bridge, being floored from side to side with massive planks of ten yards long, and as many inches thick; which work, however expensive it may seem, is continued thro all the buildings of the place for the extent of some miles together. The sight of the whole is agreeable at a distance, by reason of the several houses of the nobility, the palace of the Prince, and the number of churches and convents. These last are all of one form, regularly built, and rising with cupolas, wherein bells are often hung; which I mention, as being the first I had heard since my arrival in Turkey.

THE whole province is luxuriantly rich, abounding with woods and pastures, but thinly inhabited, and that in eaves and huts rather than houses. Its chief income proceeds from wax, honey, hides, horses, the mines of salt, and custom on some places of the Danube. By these it is able to maintain its prince and barons splendidly, besides paying a yearly tribute to the Turk, that is settled at three hundred and twenty purses, which are equal to thirty two thousand pounds sterling, besides three times that sum extorted beyond the compact. The lands of the province are entirely in the hands of the Prince and barons; the rest, who are rustics, being all either slaves or servants, whose persons or service are at the disposal of the several nobles, on whom they depend.

APRIL XXVIII.

WE proceed this morning from *Bucureſt*, and after five hours travel take up our lodging at a small village, called *Chryſhuleſt*. In the way we stop a little towards the right hand to visit a genteel palace, which is building by the Prince for his second son, situated on a pleasant lake. And the day following, in seven hours from *Chryſhuleſt*, we pitch our tents, and lodge near a small river, called *Ilſof*.

APRIL XXX.

THIS day about twelve a clock we arrive at *Tergovilſt*, where his Excellency and his retinue are lodged in the palace of the Prince. The form and state hereof much resembles that of *Bucureſt*; only it has the advantage of a much finer garden, and therein of a beautiful stone summer house; both which are regular,

lar, and may compare with those of the politer Christendom. The town is pleasantly situated on the *Ialomitza*, beyond which it enjoys the prospect of a beautiful tract of hills, which make the boundary betwixt this province and that of *Transylvania*; but on the other hand, the eye loses itself in an even boundless plain, encircled at a large distance with stately woods. The city gives title to the chief Metropolite of Valachia, and in like manner, till within these thirty years, was the residence of their princes; when a rebellion against the Turks being here formed by Prince *Ghika*, and the neighbourhood of *Transylvania* contributing to render the place more suspected, his successors were constrained to demolish it, and retire to *Bucureſt*. But within five years the present Prince has obtained fresh leave to reestablish it, on condition he erects no fortifications in the place; and accordingly it begins apace to be repeopled, while the Prince refits his palace, embellishes his gardens, and invites the nobility to erect their respective houses, that so they may attend him in those frequent residences, which for the future he intends to make here.

MAY i.

WE took the opportunity of the stay, we this day made at *Tergovift*, to go after dinner to a convent situated on the adjoining hills; which we found well built of fair freestone, adorned with cupolas well carved in lattice work of the same matter; but above all commanding a delightful prospect over the subject plain, and city of *Tergovift*, which on account of the palaces, the seats of the nobility, and the many fair convents and churches there extant, affords an entertaining landscape.

MAY ii.

THIS day we travel four hours from *Tergovift*, and at length pitch our tents in a pleasant place, surrounded with pendent woods, by the name of *Isvóra*, not far from the stream of the *Dembowitz*, which yet continued to flow on our left hand.

MAY iii.

THIS morning we proceed, and within half an hour arrive at the foot of the mountains, where the *Dembowitz* descends into the

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the plain thro an easy clift, which it perhaps has partly formed by the continual and rapid course of its stream. Thro this plain we travel seven hours, in which time we are obliged to cross the winding chanel of the river twenty times or upwards ; and being constantly diverted by the murmer of the falling waters ; by the shade of the shelving hills that form the vale, and by the evenness of the ascent which imperceptibly leads us up the mountains, we at length pitch in a fair meadow inclosed like a theatre with surrounding trees and hills, where is a small village by the name of *Cotonest*.

MAY iv.

WE continue our journey four hours thro the same sort of way, that is, along a narrow shady vale, which conveys the winding waters of the *Dembowitz* ; which having crossed several times, we at length arrive at the village of *Dragoslave*, and in half an hour farther at that of *Rukar*, in the Greek map, 'Péválo, where we pitch and repose this evening. This village is considerably large, consisting of houses all of the Valachian fashion, that is, built round with trees laid even upon one another, covered with an high and steep roof consisting of wooden tiles, and within having no funnel or chimney to convey the smoke, but open only in several parts of the roof to supply that defect.

MAY v.

BEING now imperceptibly advanced almost as high as the snowy tops of the mountain, which we see at a near distance impending over the village, where we lodge, we are informed, that the remaining ascent for the space of half an hour is very difficult, and that afterwards we are to encounter a much more troublesome descent. His Excellency therefore thought fit to repose here this day, and to take that opportunity of sending before him his waggons, coaches, and the greatest part of his baggage; that on the morrow, when he himself was to set forward, he might pass with the greater ease. In the mean time, considering that we then hoped to pass the limits, that separate the two provinces of *Transylvania* and *Valachia*, it will be here proper to set down such general remarks, as occurred in traveling thro the latter.

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THIS province was under the Romans from *Trajan* to *Gallienus*, or rather to *Aurelian*; who, tho he was born here, yet translated the remainder of the Romans hence into *Moesia* and *Pannonia*. When it became tributary to the Turks by force of arms, it was glad to accept the imposition of three hundred and twenty purses yearly; whilst *Moldavia*, which voluntarily submitted to that yoke, was affested at no more than sixty. Ever since, the nomination of their prince has entirely resided in the Turk, who nevertheleſſ allows him all rights of sovereignty in the principality, except that of declaring war, and coining his own money. That which ordinarily passes in this countrey, is therefore either the Dutch, or Venetian *lion dollars*; with the *quarts* of Poland; and a ſmall Saxon coin, here called *bains*, of which one hundred thirty two make a *lion dollar*. Justice is here performed according to the ancient laws of the province, which are agreeable to the Roman law. The power and act of pronouneing fentence is wholly in the prince, after which, as commonly in Turkey, the execution immediately enfues. For the better adjustment of tribute, and other common duties, the whole province is divided into seventeen counties, of which each is to furnish its reſpective proportion. In time of war it ordinarily maintains twenty thouſand men; of which about the fourth part continue in pay in the time of peace.

THE natives ordinarily call themselves *Romans*, and their province *Tzerra Romanesca*¹, being perſuaded that they are deſcended of that original. And in favour of this opinion they may allege their language, which is a broken mixture of Latin and Italian, into which have been accidentally adopted ſome few Turkish and Sclavonic words. They write intirely the Cyrillian Selavonic character, which seems to be a detortion from the Greek. And theſe properties of their language, as well as the character²; they have in common with *Moldavia*; which two provinces, together with *Transylvania*, conſtituted the antient *Dacia*, the two former *Ripensis*, and the laſt *Mediterranea*. The wines of this province, eſpecially about *Tergovil*, are exquife fine. The Valachian habit much reſembles that of the Turks. Their religion

¹ *Aur. Victor. Epit. cap. xl. Galerius ordinatus Dacia Ripensi, quem locum Romulanum ex vocabulo Romulat matris appellarat.*

² The Sclavonian character is twofold;

one ſaid to be invented by *St. Hieron*, which is now uſed by the Rascians and Bosnians; the other by *St. Cyril*, proper to Valachia, Moldavia, Muscovy, &c.

is intirely that of the Greek church, and the government of it subject to the Patriarch of Constantinople. Their liturgic rites are performed either in the Greek or Sclavonian tongue; tho I was assured, that in some churches the Valachian was admitted, at least they have frequently the *Gospels* and other offices in that language, but the liturgy itself more rarely. The churches of each parish, as well as chapels of the many monasteries, which are seen here, are usually very fair, well built, richly adorned, profusely painted, and for the most part furnished with bells; tho in some places I have observed the wooden plank, which is common to the Greeks in Turkey, where bells are not permitted. The *vāgōnē*, or *porch*, is generally daubed with superstitious representations of the punishments of hell; and often the inward walls are profaned with some inconsistent corporeal image of *God the Father*, a thing here permitted against the professed principles and declarations of the Greek church.

MAY vi.

We proceed this day over the mountain, on a steep craggy rocky way, lined on each side with an dismal shade, and sometimes looking down into a frightful precipice. By half an hour after ten we arrive at the limits of the two provinces, which are distinguished by a wooden cross on the edge of the mountain, from whence the prospect begins to open into *Transylvania*. Here my Lord was saluted from the government of *Transsylvania* by Count *Michael Mikes*, as well as from the magistrates of *Cronstadt* by their deputy, and at the same time attended by a troop of horse, with the colours of the Emperor, as his ordinary guard; upon which the troop of *Cosacks*, which had hitherto guarded his Excellency from *Tergovist*, returned home. In one hour and an half from hence we descend the mountain, and at a narrow passage, where the river *Bozza* finds its passage out of the snowy hills into the adjoining plain, we arrive at the castle of *Bran*, a small fortrefs which defends this pass; where his Excellency was saluted, as he passed, with three different salvos of about twenty one guns. Within canon shot of this fort we find a fair set of huts, ready pitched for the reception of his Excellency, with a buttery, kitchen, and other accommodations, provided for his use by the abovesaid Count *Mikes*; who now undertook the care of the public allowance

ance and conduct of his Excellency from this place, as far as *Hermanstadt.*

MAY vii.

By six this morning we set forward from the castle of *Bran*, directing our course for *Cronstadt*, being now about two Hungarian miles, or twelve Italian, distant from it. In half an hour his Excellency was met by major general *Glychenberg*, governor of the forces at *Cronstadt* and the parts adjoining; together with lieutenant colonel *Graven* of the regiment of general *Rabutin*. The same civility he received from the judge and other magistrates of the city, with whom, and the numerous retinue which came along with them, we now proceed, making a train of a mile long. In the mean time our road lay thro that spot of ground, on which general *Henfler* was defeated, and made prisoner by Count *Tekely* in the year sixteen hundred and ninety; as also thro the town of *Rosnaw*, lying in the middle betwixt *Bran* and *Cronstadt*, where there is a considerable castle, which likewise saluted his Excellency, as he passed, with three repeated salvos. About eleven a clock we enter the city, the castle repeating continual salvos, which we find all in arms, and the streets lined on both sides with musqueteers, as also the whole soldiery drawn up in order in the market place. In this is the house of general *Glychenberg*, where his Excellency was received with all marks of respect and honour, and in an hour's time invited to a noble entertainment. After dinner, by order of Count *Mikes*, we were attended to our several stations, where a Transylvanian gentleman was appointed to act as commissary, or *provédítóre*, in each respective quarter. Particularly Mr. Paget and myself were favoured with the company and attendance of one *Lodislaus Doeza*, a civil, intelligent, and well behaved gentleman of the Helvetian confession. And this afternoon Mr. Paget and I walked up the castle hill, from whence we had a prospect of the city, which is almost triangular, enclosed with a stone wall, situated in a narrow vale, under an high snowy clift of mountains, but on one side looking towards a level and fruitful plain. It is surrounded with three distinct suburbs, beautifully intermixed with gardens; and in one part of these suburbs, which runs more within the hills, stands an handsome Valachian church. A dreadful fire about fourteen years since laid the whole town in ashes, and at the same time utterly consumed

consumed the library of the school, which is here instituted for teaching of philosophy and theology. The same calamity almost ruined the cathedral church, of which now nothing but the outward case remains to testify its former grandeur ; the roof, which was of arched stone, being now only covered with boards.

THE general religion of this place is Lutheran ; and the church above mentioned is governed by a dean and thirteen capitularies, who enjoy considerable rents from the thirteen parishes of the district of *Cronstadt*, which are supplied by them. The ecclesiastical government of the whole district is partly in this chapter, and partly in the superintendent of *Cronstadt* ; which office is sometimes distinct, but for the most part held together with the deanship ; and from this superintendent appeals lie to the bishop of the whole province of Transylvania.

THE civil government of the town is in a judge elected every two years, a senate, and a commonalty of an hundred men. The sentence of the judge is final, and is governed by laws of the place model'd according to the civil law. The city since the fire is fairly rebuilt, with a certain regularity of walls and windows to the street, and the roofs are all covered, as in *Valachia*, with wooden tiles. The common language is Saxon ; this being one of the cities, which belong to the great colony of that nation, which makes one third of *Transsylvania*.

MAY ix.

THIS morning we depart from *Cronstadt* at six a clock by the way of *Feketeholm*, which has a church fortified like a garrison. From thence we proceed thro woods and hills to *Veledin* ; where in a cold watery plot of grass, surrounded with woods, we lodge this night in tents. Here I took leave of Count *Tomášo*, who then presented me with two other books from *Constantinus Stolnicibus*.

MAY x.

GENERAL *Glychensberg*, who waited on his Excellency to this place from *Cronstadt*, now returned hither. We proceed thro a troublesome way and dark wood to *Sharkan*, which at length we find deliciously situated upon a river, which a little way from hence

hence enters the *Aluta*, now called *Alt.* Here I lodged at the house of the minister, who was a Lutheran, by name *George Sularius*; and, it being Sunday, I attended him to their evening service.

MAY xi.

WE set forward thro a fair, rich, and well cultivated country to *Fogeras*, a large but scattered town, and there take up our station by eleven a clock. His Excellency was here lodged in an house, which belonged to Count *Tekely*, who was prime minister to the late prince *Abaffi*, and slain in the defeat of General *Hensler* near *Cronstadt*. I had here some conversation with the chief pastor of the place, *Michael Rozgoni*, a learned Calvinist, who had studied in Holland. At *Fogeras* is a castle surrounded with a wide moat, and so strong, or at least so fortunate, that it is said never to have been taken by force of arms.

MAY xii.

FROM hence we proceed in six hours to *Uiba*, a village inhabited intirely by Valachs. And setting out early from thence the next morning, by twelve a clock we reach *Porumback*, a most delightful village, situated very near the banks of the *Aluta*; which river attended us for thefe three last days journey, not far from our right hand, under the adjoining hills. His Excellency was here met and complimented by general *Rabutin* from *Hermanstadt*, who came accompanied with Count *Seau*, the Emperor's chief commissary in Transylvania, and two other officers of the imperial army. The General returned before dinner, and left my Lord well accommodated in a pleafant country house of Prince *Abaffi*; whose barnes, and magazincs of grain, with the adjoining fish ponds, and rich meadows, that surround the farm, we viewed this afternoon with great pleasure.

MAY xiv.

We leave *Porumback*, and are prfently after upon the banks of the *Aluta*, over which river his Excellency's whole baggage, with the horses, coaches, waggons, and other necessaries, were transported upon flat bottomed boats. We proceed one Hungarian mile from our *conáck*, and then his Excellency is again met by general *Rabutin*,

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butin, and several officers of the army, together with a train of five hundred persons, consisting of two troops of horse with the magistrates and chief citizens of *Hermanstadt*. After mutual compliments, my Lord takes his place in the General's coach, and so they both ride together another Hungarian mile to *Hermanstadt*, attended with a numerous retinue of guards and citizens into the town, where the canons continually kept firing, and the inhabitants received them in arms. There his Excellency being first lodged in a large and convenient house in the market place, very near the palace of the General, about one o'clock was conducted thither to dinner, where a sumptuous feast was prepared at two tables. At the first sat his Excellency with his retinue, general *Rabutin*, his Lady, the Princess of *Holstein*, with the Countesses *Sean*, *Bethlen*, *Mikes*, and some others; as also the Counts *Sean*, *Bethlen*, *Mikes*, *Stanville* of Lorrain, *Costa* of Piedmont, *Monticelli*, and Commissary *Belli*. After dinner his Excellency returned to his lodging, where he was now attended by Count *Bethlen*, instead of Count *Mikes*, who was appointed to conduct him from *Hermanstadt* as far as *Clansenburg*. In the evening the General, complimented his Excellency with the command of the garrison, during his stay in this place; and thereupon pressed him four different times to give the watch word, which nevertheless he peremptorily declined.

MAY xv.

His Excellency staid this and the following day at *Hermanstadt*, together with his retinue; where he continued to be treated in the same gentle manner by the General.

MAY xvii.

THIS being Sunday, we had divine service and a sermon at his Excellency's lodgings, and then dined again with the General. And in the evening I was favoured by my landlord, Mr. *George Reifner*, senator of the city (an ingenious and learned person, who had studied ten years in Holland) with his coach and company to visit his garden, beyond the walls and mote of the city; near to which adjoins a famous large and entire crucifix cut in stone, much adored by the papists of this country. The same gentleman gave me notice of three Roman inscriptions which, as I was informed,

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informed, had been brought from *Ulpia Trajana*. The first was upon a stone coffin in the market place, of which the following is a copy.

T. VAREN. T. F. PAP. SABINIANO EQ. R.
FLAM. LXRENTINO ITEM FLAM.
COL. SARMIZ. DEC. COL. SAR. ET APVL.
E. M. V. OMNIB. EQVESTRIB. MILIT. PERFWC.
CORNEL. LVCILLA CONIVX PILA EXTRVC
TA. SARCOFAGVM IN QVO XRENIA
PROBINAQVE SABINIANI SOROR CNDITA
ERAT ETIAM EIVS CROPORE CNLOCA
TO SVPERPOSVIT¹.

The others were in the house of General *Rabutin*, upon the base of two pillars, as I have here given them.

I. O. M.
M. ROMAN
VS INCOL
PVS
EX VOTO.

I. O. M.
C. SEMPRONIVS
VRBANVS
PROC. φ. AVG².

THE same gentleman shewed me also the cathedral church of this place, entertained me with the music of the organ, and presented me with a book called *Breviculus de nationibus Transsylvaniae*. Another on the same subject was given me the day before by the *rector scholae Cibiniensis*, which place with the adjoining library I then visited. This night I likewise returned a visit to the reverend *Isaacus Zabanius*, *primarius pastor Cibiniensis*, *et ecclesiae cathedralis decanus*, by whom and his wife I was kindly entertained above three hours. He then gave me an Answer, which he had formerly compiled, to *Campiani Rationes decem*.

MAY xviii.

By six this morning his Excellency and retinue leaving *Hermannstadt* were attended by the General, and gentlemen above mentioned, beyond the adjoining river, after which they all took a cordial leave; especially lieutenant colonel *Graven*; to whom his Ex-

¹ This inscription was first published by *Reinesius*, Claff. vi. n. 90. and from him by *Sponius*, *Miscell. erud. antiq.* p. 294. But both of them vary somewhat from the reading here given.

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² It is probable these stones might all come from *Ulpia Trajana*, formerly called *Sarmazegethusa*, concerning which see *Zamoshus*, in *Analect. Antiq. Transyl.* c. 4.

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ecency presented a diamond ring. We now proceed in our way, at which time I received an obliging letter from Mr. Dunster, with an account of my successor's arrival at *Smyrna* upon the seventeenth of April.

HERMANSTADT is a fair city, consisting of well proportioned houses, regularly plastered and covered with brick; and is encompassed with an entire brick wall, and that again with the water either of a mote, or river, which surrounds it. Over the gate, by which we entered, is the statue of *Hermannus*, the founder of the place. It is designed to be yet farther fortified by the Germans; for which end they are now marking out the place of a citadel, which they propose to build so strong and regular, as thereby to curb not only this city, but the whole province. It is entirely inhabited by Saxons, and consequently by professors of the Lutheran or Augustan confession. They have here three churches, of which the cathedral is large and well adorned. The General, and German garrison, which now consists of twelve hundred men, as likewise a few other papists, are fain to be contented with a private chapel. General *Rabutin* is a comely, courteous, and facetious gentleman, of severe discipline, and prudent management of the Imperial soldiery, which thro this whole province, to the number of about ten thousand men, is committed to his charge. He is of French extraction, and was forced to fly while young, on account of a duel, from his native country to the court of *Vienna*; where after long service he at length obtained favour of the Princesses of *Holstein* then wife to Chancellor *Sinsendorff*; who after that minister's death condescended to marry him, and so raised him to his present pitch of fortune. The civil government is in the hands of the *index Cibiniensis*, whose jurisdiction reaches not only over this city, but even the whole Saxon district. Next to him is the *Consul Cibiniensis*, whose government is confined within the city. And besides these there is a senate of about sixteen, and then a commonalty of about an hundred men. The place in Latin is called *Cibinium*, from the adjoining river *Cibin*.

BEFORE eleven a clock we again take up our quarters at *Ni-sakna*, that is, *Saltzburg*, so called from the salt mines; which I visited this afternoon, in company with the minister of the place, *Joannes Nagy Borosnyai* of the Helvetian confession. The salt is here dug, and cut into stones (as they call them) of a square figure, and about an hundred pounds in weight. Being so prepared in

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the cavern, which at the bottom extends itself very wide in the manner of a dome, they are drawn up by cables, of which one winds round an adjoining machine drawn by four horses, and the other unwinds at the same time. The pit itself is square, lined within with planks, as far as the earthy soil reaches, and extending afterwards to the depth of about an hundred yards. These stones are afterwards laid up in magazines, to be transported on occasion by the *Maros* into the *Danube*, and thence vended into Turkey or Germany for the use of the Emperor, who is the sole proprietor of all the natural mines, with which this province abounds. The above mentioned minister here gave me some *gemmae salis*, as pellueid as ordinary crystal. He is a man well learned, and has traveled into many countries, particularly England. At the same place I likewise received a present of some *specimina metallica*, namely gold, cinnabar, antimony, and others; which were sent me by a gentleman, named *Samuel Koloferi*, the Emperor's general inspector of the Transylvanian mines.

MAY xix.

We depart hence for *Tsanad*, and arrive there before twelve a clock; from whence his Excellency designing for *Enyed* by the way of *Balasfalva*, Mr. Montague, Mr. Gangain, and myself take this opportunity of stepping out of the way to see *Alba Julia*, or *Wiffenburg*. We therefore hire a post chaise by five a clock in the afternoon, and it being distant three long Hungarian miles in dirty way, we scarce arrive there by twelve at night, having near the city crossed the *Maurusius* over a wooden bridge. In our way thither we saw a gang of *Zingans*, or gypsies, common in this and the neighbouring provinces, as well as Turkey.

MAY xx.

His Excellency continued his journey this day to *Balasfalva*; and in the morning we at *Abba Julia* wait on the governor, Count *Banfi*, a worthy and courteous protestant nobleman, but for many years weakened and tormented with the colic. We were conducted to him thro the room, where the *comitia totius Transylvaniae* are now held; and where Count *Sean*, commissary for his Imperial Majesty, solicites the states for raising of subsidies, and proposes other orders to them from the court of *Vienna*. This
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done, we visit likewise Count *Sean*; who was so complaisant as to shew us the castle where he dwells, being a magnificent palace, and lately the residence of the princes of Transylvania. At the same time we viewed the large Calvinist church adjoining thereto, which is a lofty and stately fabric, but has suffered much from the Tartars, who defaced the fair monuments, and burnt the tower, in the year sixteen hundred and fifty eight. It is now fortified with a ditch and rampart, which is likewise usual all over Transylvania. The above mentioned monuments are of *Joannes Corvinus*, commonly called *Humiades*; of Queen *Isabella*, and her son *Ladislaus*; of *Sigismund*, and *George Ragotzi*, together with the famous *Gabriel Bethlen*. The same morning we paid a visit to the bishop of the reformed church in Transylvania, who resides here, and is likewise pastor of the place, by name *Stephanus Veszpremi*. He is an old man, seems decayed in his parts, and is troubled with a palsey in his tongue. With him we saw the professor of the *Schola Albenis*, which in the year sixteen hundred seventy two was translated hither from *Patak* in Hungary. He is a learned, curious, and laborious man, teaches divinity, natural philosophy, the tongues, and mathematics; has traveled into England and other countries, and is a great admirer of the English; for which reason his study is full of our books, and he both writes, and speaks, and even teaches our language once a week to his scholars. His name is *Kaposi Samuel*, and was made *S. Theologiae Doctor* by a *diploma* from the Prince of Orange. These visits performed, we repair to Count *Banti's* to dinner, where we were honoured with a splendid feast; the governor keeping his chamber. There sat at table the Lady governess, who is of the family of *Bethlen*, with Countess *Bethlen Samuel*, Count *Bethlen Nicolas* chancellor of the states of Transylvania, Count *Apór* treasurer, Count *Holler* president of the states (the two last papists) together with Count *Telchi*, *Jeannes Sacks* the *Index regius Cibiniensis*, with Count *Sean*, and some others. After dinner we spent some time with professor *Kaposi*, and at night supped with Count *Sean*.

MAY xxi.

His Excellency staid this whole day at *Balasfalva*; and we the morning at *Alba Julia*, which was antiently called *Apulum*¹,

¹ Ovid. ad Liviam, §. 387.
Danubiusque rapax, et Dacius orbe remoto

Apulus, huic hosti per breve Pontus iter.

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where we employed ourselves in viewing some Roman sculptures, and copying the three following inscriptions.

I.O.M. ET DIIS
PENATIBVS
SCAVRIANVS

MINERVAE TIB.
JVLIVS NOVIA
NVS II... LEG.
POSVIT

PRO SALVTE DO
MINI NOSTRI
SANCTISSIMI AN
TONINI PII AVGVS
TI NYMPHIS NOVIS
SACRVM RVFRI
VS ^ SVLPICIA...
LEG. XIII. G ...
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At midday we dined with Count *Seau*, and by two o'clock taking leave of the governor, we set forward in a calash for *Enyed*¹, two Hungarian miles distant from hence, where we arrived before seven, the road lying all the way near the banks of the *Maurusius*.

MAY xxii.

We take a calash this morning, and proceed about an hour from *Enyed* to meet his Excellency, at the place where he crossed the *Maurusius* by flat boats; which done, we wait on him back to *Enyed*, and there arrive about one o'clock. After dinner I visited the school and college of this place, which is reputed the most flourishing of those, that belong to the reformed Calvinist church in Transylvania. It has three professors, one of philosophy, *Stephanus Kolosvari*, who has traveled into England; another of divinity, *Stephanus Engedi*, a learned man, who gave me a popish book, concerning the Emperor's treatment of the reformed churches in Hungary; and a third of the Greek tongue, logic, and history, *Fr. Pariz-Papa*, a physician, who presented me with some printed tracts of his own, and a manuscript *Itinerary* of Dr. *Basire* prebendary of Durham, left by him in *Alba Julia*, where he professed divinity during the late usurpation in England.

¹ *Sabina, Nova CERES; et Julia Pia, NOVA VESTA; Bonarot. Objerv. p. 4. NYMPHAE AVGUSTAE, Spon, Recherch. d'Antiq. Diff. xxix. p. 481. Saxopol. in Dacia, NYMPHIS SALVTIFERIS SACRVM.*

² In libello inscript. *Analella lap. Tran-*

sylv. prov. legitur RUFFINVS, sed reclamante lapide.

³ In Latin *Enyedinum*, or *Aniadinum*, from the *via Annia*, mentioned in an inscription in *Zamosius*, c. v.

MAY xxiii.

WE proceed three Hungarian miles from *Enyed* to *Therda*, where we arrive about one a clock, and find it a dirty ill built town, but remarkable for its salt pits. It has two Calvinist churches, with one appropriated to the Unitarians. The town stands upon the *Aranyas*, antiently the *Chrysolas*, in which the *Zingans* find gold dust, principally after rain.

MAY xxiv.

IT being Whitsunday, his Excellency halted this day, and in his lodgings had divine service and a sermon. After dinner we visit the salt pits, which altogether resemble those of *Visakna*, except that the salt seems somewhat clearer and stronger. Returning we find the following Roman inscription.

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ET SERAPI
C. IVL. ANN
ISONVS . . .
LEG. V. M. HO.
ET FL. APO
LINARIA . . .
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MAY xxv.

WE proceed three Hungarian miles to *Clausenburg*, the *Zeugma* of the antients, by the Hungarians called *Kolosvar*, and in Latin *Claudiopolis*. Here Governor *Banti* met my Lord half a mile out of the town, and treated him at dinner; after which taking leave, he presented him with a set of six fine coach horses. It is a fair city with a broad and straight street; but still retains on the houses and churches the marks of a dreadful fire, which about five years since almost entirely consumed it. It is seated upon the first branch of the river *Samos*, and is entirely surrounded with an antient thick wall, on the inside of which I was shewn the two following inscriptions, the latter whereof has the characters beautifully cut.

FORTVNAE AVG.
VL P. MASCV
LINVS VE. EX
SIGNIF. LEG. V. M.
TEC. COL. AP. PRO
SA. SVA. TE. SVOR. P

D. M.
M. AVREL ... PAPIA ... AVG. COL. N. AP¹.
VIXIT ANNIS LX
AVRELIA BONA CONIVX MA
RITO ER. H. CIENO ... VM² CV
RAVIT

THE Unitarians, who are one of the sects received in Transylvania, have here established their principal seat. I conversed with one of them, *Stephanus Stanizlo*, professor of philosophy, with whom I visited their *plebannus*, or chief pastor, and saw their church and college. I likewise visited the Calvinist pastor, as also their church and college, where I saw *M. B. Nemethi* their professor of philosophy, *Sam. Nemethi* the divinity professor being absent. In several public places of the city I observed antient dates of time, particularly over one of the gates, where the year was marked, with these characters, 1477, that is 1477; and over the Unitarian college thus, 1476, which is 1476³. Here Count Bethlen's commission ending, his Excellency is provided for by Baron *Vessellini*.

MAY xxvi.

WE stay this day at *Clausenburg*. The next we proceed two Hungarian miles to *Erdicurestür*, wherelodge in a poor Valach house. And the day following we make the like progres thro woods and narrow vales to *Balashaza*, upon the river *Almasch*.

MAY xxix.

TWO more Hungarian miles thro the like way bring us to *Zilak*, a reformed Calvinist village, where I visited the chief pastor, *Stephanus Foris Debreezeni*. Within half an hour of this place we

¹ Forte COLON. AP. ut in *Zamostii Inscript.* Vienna, near *Porta Rubra*; where I took cap. 7. COL. APVL. et COLONIAE APVLENSIS.

² Forte CENOTAPHIVM.

³ The like cyphers I afterwards saw at

notice of the following date, 1476, which in our modern characters is 1467.

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passed certain mountains very woody, but not exceeding high, which part Transylvania from Hungary; after which we now enter into those parts of Hungary, which lately gave part of his title to the prince of Transylvania.

MAY XXXI.

PASSING two Hungarian miles thro a country more open and well improved, we arrive at *Somlyo*; in which there is an old palace, once a seat of residence for the kings of Hungary. Here the guards and commissary is again changed, *Franciscus Trantzeni*, an Hungarian gentleman, now taking that charge. As we continued in this town the following day, I had an opportunity of conversing with the minister, whose name is *Zovány*.

JUNE i.

WE fet forward three Hungarian miles to *Margarita*, and in the way cross the *Krasna*, near which are the limits that terminate the parts of Hungary. The soil is here luxuriantly rich, well varied with pasture and intervening woods, and every where adorned with damask roses, growing wild on short shrubs. Part of my time was here employed in discoursing with the minister, *Johannes Banki*. But having now passed thro *Transylvania*, as well as the parts of Hungary subject to the same government, it is here proper to recollect some general observations relating to this province.

TRANSYLVANIA, which for many years had been tributary to the Turks, and consequently under the protection of that empire, which still allowed them the choice and government of their own princes, was in the year 1687, under the conduct of the Duke of *Lorrain*, subjected to the arms of the Emperor; and thereupon by capitulation they resigned themselves to the Germans, under whom they have since continued, tho as yet the Emperor has assumed no distinct title from thence. He has ordinarily in garrison here about twelve regiments, which since the peace of *Carlowitz* serve rather to curb the inhabitants, than to awe the neighbouring Turk. To this end they are now preparing a strong citadel in *Hermannstadt*, and designing others in proper places, on pretence of charges due to these forts and the standing militia. The Emperor ex-
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acts yearly severe taxes, of which they generally complain, as being four times more than was exacted by the Turk. For whereas they then paid the yearly tribute and exaction of about two hundred thousand *floreni Rhenenses*, there is this year particularly demanded from them, in the present assembly of the government at *Alba Julia*, the sum of one million forty thousand six hundred, which is charged for the following particulars. The

<i>Quantum militare,</i>	—	750,000.
<i>Ad fortalitia,</i>	—	100,000:
<i>Debitum principis Duca'</i> ,	—	65,600.
<i>Bonificationes superoneratis,</i>	—	60,000.
<i>Ad salarium camellariae,</i>	—	15,000.
<i>Inevitabiles extraordinariae expensae</i>	—	50,000.

These subsidies are demanded at the assembly in the Emperor's name, by his commissary, Count *Sean*; and the care of levying and raising it is incumbent on the governor, the chancellor, the treasurers, the *assessores tabulae regiae*, with other officers and members of the assembly. Thus the civil government of the province is committed to the Transylvanian nobility, distinguished by the officers abovementioned; but the military government is in the hands of General *Rabutin*, who holds the province to a rigid and exact obedience.

TRANSYLVANIA is in the hands of three distinct people. First the *Szekeli*, which are otherwise corruptly wrote *Siculi*, *Siculi*, or *Scytuli*¹. The second are the *Saxones*. And the third are the *Hungari*. The first and third of these speak the same Hungarian language, and are *Huns* of the same original, only settled in this country at different times. The *Saxons* speak intirely the German Saxon language, from which nation they are a colony, and settled here under *Geyfa* the second King of Hungary.

THEY have each of them their distinct laws, customs, and privileges, and are severally divided after this manner. First the *Szekeli* into seven *szeks*, namely : *Meros-szék*, *Udvarbel-szék*, *Harom-szék*,

¹ His designed ransom, after his death in Poland, was unjustly detained in this province.

² Concerning the antient characters of the Sicilians, and their manner of writing downwards like the Sinese, see *Zamof.* c. 3.

Kesdi Orba Szepsi-szék, Csik-szék, Gyorgy-szék, and Arangus-szék. Over each of these seats preside so many captains; and being a warlike robust people, still retaining the ferity of the Scythians, of which the whole body of the *Hunni* was at first a colony, they have been always exempted from taxes and duties to the government, except only the service of war upon occasion under their respective captains. But of late the Emperor has persuaded them to submit to the like taxes and duties, with all other his Transylvanian subjects. On account of their not holding their lands of the government, there is a peculiar custom obtaining among them, that in defect of heirs their estate escheats not to the government, but to the next neighbour.

THE Saxons have in like manner their seven seats allotted from their first settlement, namely : *Szerdaky-szék, Szeben-szék, Brasoy-szék, Medyes-szék, Segyvar-szék, Bestereze-szék, and Erdovidek-szék.* Each of these seats have their capital city, called *Regia et libera civitas.* Over this city, and the seat or district belonging to it, presides a *judex regius*, called in their language, *konings rickter*. But the authority and prerogative of the *Judex Cibiniensis*, that is of *Hermanstadt*, extends itself over the several Saxon seats; except that he of *Braffow* or *Cronstadt* pretends in many cases an exemption, which has been allowed, because of its too great distance from the tribunal of *Szeben*, or *Hermanstadt*. Besides the authority of this judge, there is a subordinate government in each city by a senate, which ordinarily consists of about sixteen, and a centumvirate or commonalty, tho it seldom contains a complete hundred. Each in their several districts have the *jus gladii*, and all other prerogatives of an intire jurisdiction.

THE third and richer part of Transylvania, possessed by the *Hungarians*, is supposed and called the seat of the only Transylvanian nobility; and accordingly it is divided into seven *comitatus*, or residences, of its several courts, namely: The *comitatus Huniadenensis, Albensis, Thordensis, Claudiopolitanus, Interior et Exterior Zolnokienensis, Doboczenensis, and Krasnaiensis.* Now each of these counties has four *comites*, of which two are called *supremi*, and two *inferiores*; in whose hands, together with other nobles under them, remain the whole jurisdiction and possession of their respective counties; the other inhabitants being not only tenants, but subjects, as they call them, and in some manner slaves to their respective

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respective nobles, to whom they ordinarily owe the work of three, and sometimes of more days in the week.

BESIDES these, the *Valachi* are every where in great numbers intermixed among the Transylvanian nations, but have no jurisdiction or dominion of their own; and therefore they remain as nourishers of cattle, and in that service slaves and subjects to the rest. And not only *Valachs*¹, but likewise (tho in lesser numbers) there are found up and down in Transylvania, Rascians, Muscovites, Armenians, Jews, and others.

THOSE called the received religions in Transylvania, that is, those who above the space of an age have obtained the protection of their princes under oath, and of the Emperor under articles upon their late subjection, are four; the Roman Catholic; the Lutheran; the Calvinist, which is here called peculiarly the Reformed; and the Unitarian. The first of these is more frequent in *Szekulia*, but yet not so prevalent as to possess even a tenth part of all Transylvania. The second, or Lutheran, is common to all the Saxon nation in this province. The third flourishes in *Szekulia*, and the *comitatus Hungarici*. The fourth prevails here and there likewise in the same countries, but those who profess it are not so numerous in either. However they have a flourishing college at *Clausenberg*, together with a large church; tho neither for beauty, nor the number of its communicants, equal to that of the Calvinist confession. These several religions are well known, and distinguished by their faith and principles, all over Europe. I shall therefore only say this concerning the discipline of the three last, that their several parishes collected into distinct dioceses are subject to their respective seniors; and these seniors, in their order, are likewise subject to a provincial bishop, who has his court, in which he judges matrimonial and other spiritual causes, and has also the sole power of ordaining, as likewise of calling and presiding over their yearly synod. And to this synod there is adjoined a consistory, which is in the nature of an upper house, and a council to the bishop.

THE Lutheran churches are in many places splendid, adorned with organs and pictures, and little differing from the form of our

¹ So great is the aversion of these *Valachs* taken by General Robutin, they offered him to the killing of calves, that to redeem one the choice of all their children.

larger churches, except that the altar is immovable, and built of stone, and sometimes too profusely painted. Their worship consists of forms of prayers, then hymns, after these lessons and sermons, and lastly prayers and concluding hymns. The worship of the Unitarians exactly corresponds with that of the Calvinists. These latter have sermons twice a week, besides Sundays, as also morning and evening service throughout the week, at which appear large and devout congregations in many places. Their service is a metre psalm, a prayer from the pulpit, and then concludes with another psalm. They have a form of prayer, and an injunction of their bishop to make use of no other; but the custom of most ministers has introduced the use of their own premeditated devotions, and accordingly the people begin to despise those, who confine themselves to the form. The Lutherans, Calvinists, and Unitarians live peaceably with one another; but are not admitted to each others communion of Christ's body, without a special declaration of conformity. The Lutherans in some places consecrate a wafer, and in other places leaven bread. They likewise have auricular confession, but abuse it not, as the Papists. Their main difference from the Calvinists consists in their avowed corporeal ubiquitarian presence. Among other known tenets of the Unitarians, by which they take away the force of the Christian sacraments, tho' they generally use infant baptism not to give scandal to the Calvinists, yet they rather wish to delay it till the age of twelve years or upwards, and often practice accordingly.

THESE three protestant religions remain as yet in the undisturbed profession of their faith. But upon several late encroachments of the Jesuits, and other priests, in confidence of the popish government, to which they are subject; upon the withdrawing of the tithes usually paid to the protestant ministers from the salt mines, and now given to popish monks; and lastly upon the care, which is taken by the court of Vienna, to supply all offices of the province with papist ministers: upon these several accounts, I say, the whole reformed people of Transylvania, especially the Calvinists, begin to be under great apprehensions, and from the governor to the meanest gentleman, earnestly embraced this occasion of recommending their cause to the good services of his Excellency at the Imperial court; after which they implored the prayers and good wishes of the church of England, and in many places took a solemn melancholy leave of us, as if they were just entering upon a martyrdom.

THE religion of the Valachs, Muscovites, Armenians, Rascians, and others, is that of their respective nations in their proper seats and countries. And it may be farther noted in relation to the religion of Transylvania, that as in Hungary, so here likewise, the Jesuits, who were before excluded by a positive article, have now an express liberty of entering and settling in this province. Nor can I omit to remark the great and blameable facility both of the Calvinists, and Lutherans, in matters of divorce.

AFTER the religion of Transylvania, the natural soil of the country falls under consideration; which is luxuriantly rich, well cultivated, full of inhabitants, and conveniently distinguished with a sufficient quantity of wood, hills, and water. The surface of the earth is almost every where black, without the least stone to be observed in many places; and in several tracts so fertile, as not to require the advantage of dung, except only some parts of *Sicilia* where it is used. Besides all kinds of grain, which grow on the surface of the earth, within it abounds with veins of metals, minerals, and fossils of all sorts, particularly of gold; so that, as I was informed by the Emperor's inspector of his mines, there was last year dug here to the value of twenty five thousand *zechins*. But among other fossils the native cinnabar is most rare, and the quicksilver which is here found to perfection. Salt is dug in several places, in the manner described above¹; by which a large revenue accrues to the Emperor, to whom the property of all mines belongs. But in the mean time the people suffer in the price of this commodity; for since their late subjection to the Emperor, a stone of salt weighing about an hundred pounds can scarce be bought for three florins, whereas heretofore three stones of salt were sold for one florin. The money current in Transylvania is that of the Emperor, the *quarts* of Poland, with some other coins. The reports related by some, who were eye witnesses, concerning diverse particles of gold found in the products of their vineyards, both here and about the celebrated mountain of *Tokai*, are very remarkable; of which I shall only mention these following. A piece of gold is said to have grown to a vine, instead of the green tendril, by which it takes hold of the adjoining trees, or other substance that supports it. Pure gold was found in a grape, instead of its ordinary natural stone. Small gold drops were observed

¹ See pag. 92.

to adhere to the skin of a grape. And even an intire grape had been seen to consist of a perfect coat of gold.

As to the temper and disposition of the inhabitants, they appear cordial and hospitable, drink almost continually, and eat plentifully, are unpolite but importunate in their civility, and even the vulgar sort usually speak Latin; they are of a robust constitution, and principally the *Sicilians*, who have likewise a fierce and stately mein. Their habit is a short waistcoat made very close to the body¹, and sleeves with flaps to them, that come over the backs of their hands. Their breeches are likewise close to their thighs, and from thence continued down in the form of a stocking to their feet. But on their legs they commonly wear yellow or red boots, to which are constantly fixed spurs, often three inches long. Over their waistcoat, when they go abroad, they throw a loose but short fur vest, which is either embroidered, or adorned with silver loops, on each side before. The habit of the women, who for the most part are beautiful and courteous, is a close narrow bodice, and from thence petticoats, as usual with us in England; but over their arms they wear loose linen sleeves, resembling those of a bishop's rochet. Their head dress is low, and among those of the better sort richly adorned with pretious stones; much resembling some old English pictures, particularly those of *Henry the eighth's* wives. They likewise wear over their shoulders the same sort of fur vest, as the men; but the inferior sort are usually drct, when abroad, in a long and loose black mantle, reaching from their shoulders down to the ground, and all round gathered into deep and numberless folds, not unlike the gowns worn by the islanders in the *Archipelago*. Maids likewise wear a black ring of velvet on their head, which they call a crown, and resembles the figure of an hat without brims. With regard to matrons, their law formerly admitted no proof of adultery, unless under the eye witness of twenty four persons at least; which in a virtuous age was an egregious testimony to the chastity of their women, but in a vicious one must needs prove too great an encouragement to that heinous sin. The Hungarians and Sicilians have an odd fashion of shaving their head round the lower part, and leaving the hair at the top, which afterwards they tie into a knot, and let it hang over one or other of their temples. This custom they might possibly have received of

¹ *Veste non fluitante, sed stricta, et sanguinos artus exprimente.* Tacitus *De moribus Germanorum*, cap. xvii.

old from the Sicambrians (who once built the city *Sicambria*, and settled a colony there) since they were antiently famed for the like manner of knotting of their hair¹. We may further observe a certain infelicity of Transylvania, as well as the adjoining parts of Hungary, in persuading themselves at least, that they are infested with witchcraft. For women of all ages are yearly executed for that crime, and this commonly upon evidence of their having threatened mischief to their neighbours, their children, goods, cattle, or other effects, and some correspondent effect, which has seemed afterwards to happen. In the Saxon seats of Transylvania they often put them to that vulgar trial of water; and I have heard it avowed by those, who have declared themselves to have been eye witnesses, that some suspected persons could never sink below the surface of the water, when others immediately subsided to the bottom². And in such cases the poor afflicted, tortured, and now perhaps distracted person, confesses the indictment, and then without the least repreuve is committed to the faggot. But as ignorant places have been always reputed most subject to witchcraft, this very well suits the state of Transylvania; where every petty district is the seat of its own judicature, and the power of life and death is consequently lodged in illiterate and superstitious persons.

JUNE ii.

BUT it is now time to proceed on our journey, in which one Hungarian mile and a half carried us to *Szekhelybid*, where his Excellency lodged in the house of a popish prelate, by name *Joannes Smits*, of the order of the *Praemonstratenses*, a gentle and agreeable person. In his parlour, where he had an altar and crucifix, I observed over the former a profane picture of the *Holy Trinity*, representing an *Old Man*, with his *Son* sitting betwixt his legs, and at the son's feet the *Holy Ghost* in the shape of a *dove*.

JUNE iii.

THREE Hungarian miles and a half farther brought us this day to *Debrecyn*, thro a rich foil, not destitute of wood, nor water;

¹ So Martial. Spectac. Epigr. 3.
Crinibus in nodum tortis venere Sicambri.
And Tacitus says the like of the Suevi,
De morib. Germ. c. 38. Insigno gentis obliquare crinem, nodoque substringere.

² This trial of water, as well as that of fire, is authorized by the laws of *Ladislaus*, King of Hungary. *Decret. S. Ladislaei, Lib. ii. cap. 28.*

the latter of which is plentifully found in this country, as also in Transylvania and Valachia, by reason of its frequent and extended lakes; tho fountains are scarce any where to be observed. This city has lately obtained the privilege of being *libera et regia* from the Emperor, in consideration of its late grievous oppressions between the Turkish and German forces; since which, like other free cities, it is governed by its own judge, senate, and commonalty. It is large and populous, and sets up for the bulwark of the reformed church in Hungary; which character it maintains by its large and well disciplined college of almost two hundred students, under the care of two eminent professors; one of divinity, named *Johannes Koes*, who is likewise bishop or superintendent of the province; and the other of philosophy, whose name is *Michael Vári*. As this college is kept in good repair, so the students are allowed their constant diet, and the professors receive their salary, at the sole charge of the city. There are likewise two spacious churches, served by three able and learned pastors, *Thomas Veresedgyházi*, *Michael Rapotí*, and *Stephanus Patai*. The city is likewise furnished at the public charge with a capacious and well stored dispensary.

BEFORE his Excellency approached this place, he was complimented by several messengers from the mayor, who commands the militia here, then by the judge, senators, and others; and at length by the bishop, professors, pastors, and scholars. With this retinue his Excellency entered the city, which was orderly lined with arms as far as his lodgings. These were appointed for him in the house of one *Stephanus Dobozi*, a rich, generous, and learned gentleman; who among other public designs is now undertaking to print a new version of the Hungarian *Bible*, to be distributed among the reformed Christians of that kingdom.

JUNE iv.

THIS being *Corpus Christi* day, his Excellency continued at *Debrecyn*; at which time I took the opportunity of visiting the bishop, professors, and pastors of the town, the first of whom presented me with an handkerchief of the Hungarian fashion. I was introduced to them by one *Paul Gyongyóssi*, who met us in this place from a neighbouring cure. He had lately traveled into England, and resided sometime in *Glocester Hall, Oxford*, where

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he was known to my brother of dear memory. But in his return home thro Vienna his books were seized, to the value of five hundred florins, by Cardinal Colonicza, archbishop of Strigonium; on which account he now solicited the favour and interest of his Excellency. He presented me with the *Canones Ecclesiae Reformatae Hungariae*.

JUNE v.

THIS morning the judge and magistrates of Debrecyn presented his Excellency with a gentle sword, and two small vessels of the best Tokái wine. And after traveling one Hungarian mile and a half thro a dead extended plain, void of tree or shrub, we came to Ujvaros. Here I first took notice of the Hungarian sheep, which are distinguished from most others by their horns, which are long, straight, and twisted; also by their wool, which is exceeding coarse.

JUNE vi.

THREE Hungarian miles thro the same level and naked plain brought us this day to Csege, which is a pass over the Tibiscus. In our way hither we had in view on the right hand, at the distance of about five miles, the celebrated mountain of Tokái, in compass about ten Hungarian miles, and renowned for its generous wines. At the aforesaid Csege we ferry over the Tibiscus in two large flat bottomed boats, thence we travel for some time with the river on our right hand, and then strike into the plain to Csat, a large village about one Hungarian mile from Csege, where we fix our quarters.

JUNE vii.

His Excellency stayed this day at Csat, at which time I had some conversation with the minister, Stephanus Szirák, formerly a traveler in England. Here I took notice of the fair, white, and stately cattle of Hungary; and walked in the fields, to enjoy a more distinct prospect of the mountain Tokái.

JUNE viii.

We proceed one Hungarian mile and a half thro the same plain to Profzlo, which is situated on a large and diffused lake, supplied

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plied by the *Tibiscus*, into which it empties itself. In our way hither, we left at a near distance on our right hand the city *Agria*, and the mountains denominated from thence.

JUNE ix.

WE move one Hungarian mile and a half forward in the same plain, and at the same distance from the mountains of *Agria*, to *Alány*. Before dinner his Excellency with a retinue went an English mile from hence, in order to visit a new country house and garden belonging to the worthy General *Glychezberg*; who by donation from the Emperor possesses great part of this village, as likewise of that where we lodged last night. I had here an occasion to observe the Hungarian houses under ground, having unawares like to have dropt into a chimney. We took notice likewise of a *plica Polonica* in the hair of his Excellency's landlord; who told us, that it being once cut off by his wife, he became perfectly blind for three months, and did not recover his sight, till the *plica* was grown out and formed again. The same thing is common to most horses in this country.

JUNE x.

FROM *Alány* we go on this day two Hungarian miles to *Arokszalles*, thro the same plain, the soil of which is as black as coal, and in most places overrun with weeds and marshes for want of tillage. In the midway we cross the small river *Both*, by which is a posthouse of the same name. *Arokszalles* is a popish village, the first of that sort we had seen in Hungary. It belongs to the Prince of *Newburg*, Grand Master of the Teutonic order, who has bought lately of the Emperor a large compass of ground on both sides the *Tibiscus* for a million of florins. From our quarters we have in view to the right of our road, at the foot of a pleasant tract of mountains, the city *Gyongyossi*, lately taken from the Protestants (as they told us at *Debrecyn*) by the injuries of the Jesuits and other Romanists.

JUNE xi.

WE continue our journey one Hungarian mile to *Hatwan*, thro the same plain, along the foss of an antient *Roman* camp. The hills

hills of Gyongyossi are still at a near distance on our right hand, in which four Hungarian miles from Arokzsalles is the famous gold mine of Kremnytz, with others of silver, iron, and other minerals, in the same neighbourhood. Hatwan was lately a walled city, and is now inhabited by Romanists, being the property of the Prince of Solmes, grand master to the King of the Romans. The Emperor constantly employs five hundred labourers in the mines of Kremnytz, tho of late years they are said to fail. At Hatwan, as in all Hungary, I observed the method of burying their corn in holes under ground, as *Hirtius* remarks of the Africans¹.

JUNE xii.

AT Hatwan we immediately cross the small river Zagvva, and thence proceed one Hungarian mile and half thro a pleasant variety of woods and pastures, valleys and hills, to Kerepes; where at a neat German house his Excellency staid to breakfast, and then went forward the same length of way thro a naked, tho not so level a plain, to Pest. At his entry here he is saluted by the canon from the opposite castle of Buda, and lodged at the Fountain inne. Pest is now a small but compact city, intirely built out of the ruins, to which it was reduced by the two late sieges of Buda. Its antient wall, with the battlements and bastions, is still intire, and incloses it in the figure of an half moon, terminating on the banks of the Danube, which completes the remaining circuit of the city. There are still extant three or four minarées of Turkish mosques, now devoted to Christian use. But what gives just offence both to Turks and Christians is a new pillar, erected in the market place, and bearing on its top a large stone sculpture of the Trinity; a figure as common, as it is scandalous, in Germany.

JUNE xiii.

THIS day his Excellency remained here, which gave Mr. Paget and myself an opportunity of passing over to Buda on a flying bridge, which is maintained by the city Pest. The famous city of Buda is the capital of Hungary, and was the seat of its Kings till the year fifteen hundred twenty nine, when by treachery it fell

¹ Est in Africa consuetudo incolarum, ut in id propter bella maxime, hostiumque subitum agris, et in omnibus fere villis, sub terra specus adventum praeparent. De bello Africano, condendi frumenti gratia clam habeant; atque cap. 65.

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into the hands of Solymán the Great ; since which it was several times attempted by the Christian arms, but never successfully, till the year sixteen hundred sixty eight. And it yet remains in the same condition, in which that terrible siege had left it, with regard to its fortifications; but the private houses, especially those of the Rascian and Water Town, are again handsomely rebuilt. That, which is called the Upper Town, is likewise begining to be re-inhabited, but not equally with the other two. The situation of the whole city lies in the following manner. From the banks of the Danube, which here runs N. W. and S. E. there arises a steep and oblong hill, the length of about half a mile, and the hight of about two hundred paces, on which stands, what is called the Upper Town. This on the N. W. end has that famous castle, which was the palace of the Hungarian Kings; and from thence the walls and other fortifications are continued round the town. On both ends of the hill are two small valleys, each of which has a large suburb; that on the N. W. end called the Rascian, and that on the S. E. the Water Town. The latter of these is larger, and much better built; and extends itself not only in the valley above mentioned, but likewise betwixt the Danube and a great part of the hill, on which the wall and Upper Town is built. Just beyond the Rascian Town is a steep and sharp rocky hill, which in case of a siege must needs annoy the castle; and along the backside of the city wall is extended, at a nearer distance, another rising ground, which must likewise gall that side of the fortification. These therefore the Imperialists must possess with proper forts, whenever they undertake to repair the wall and castle of Buda; the present remains of which were shewn us this morning by the lieutenant of the ordnance, the most remarkable whereof were these which follow. The hall of the royal palace, in which the carved windows, chimney pieces, and other decorations, shewed the work of an excellent hand; and were embellished, among other devises, with the arms of Matthias Corvinus. The severall canons, mortar pieces, bombs, and other artillery, which make the present ammunition of the castle. The two breaches, one entered by the Bavarians, and the other by the Imperialists, when they took the place. The wooden gate, hewn at the bottom by the Imperialists, which action gave the last rout to the Turks. The stone arched chamber, which they maintained to the last; tho the Bavarians had been many days lodged in the next adjoining apartment, and nothing but a single wall remained betwixt the two enemies.

enemies. The well and capacious cistern, sufficient to afford water for that numerous Turkish garrison, which at first consisted of twenty four thousand men. What else occurs observable in this place, is first the prospect, which we took from the *Water Town* of old *Buda*, or *Sicambria* of the Romans, about an English mile from hence, up the stream of the river. And secondly, the famous sulphureous baths, exactly opposite to the city *Pest*, which are supplied by a plentiful hot fountain, that runs from the steep rocky hill before mentioned in the neighbourhood of the *Rascian Town*.

AT midday we were invited to dinner by the administrator, or chief civil magistrate of the place. By his office he is president of the *camera Budensis*, which consists of twelve officers, and enjoys great revenues, as well as an entire jurisdiction for many miles round the city. His Imperial Majesty has about fourteen hundred men in garrison at *Buda* and *Pest*, under General *Fefferhoft*, who was now gone to demolish the fortifications of *Erla*; it being the Emperor's design to divest this country of all its lesser forts, which at this juncture might be a refuge to any rebellious subjects. The whole country of Hungary to this place is a black and rich soil, without one stone to be observed, except in towns; and abounds with lakes. The wine of *Buda* exactly resembles that of *Bourdeaux*, and for these two last years, by an agent of the Earl of *Nottingham*, has began to be imported into England, by the way of *Breslaw*.

JUNE XIV.

EARLY this morning we depart from *Buda*, when his Excellency was again saluted by the guns of the castle. Three Hungarian miles thro a rich, woody, and well watered country bring us to *Biéške*; a village where the Protestants are most numerous, but were nevertheless deprived of the parish church last year by the Romanists.

JUNE XV.

THREE more Hungarian miles carry us this day to *Koes*, thro a continued wood, wherein are observable many curious trees, herbs, and flowers, particularly the *fraxinella*; to say nothing of the

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the damask roses, hyacinths, *barbareae*, *lilia convallium*, and some others, obvious in our whole road thro Hungary.

JUNE XVI.

FROM *Koes*, where his Exeelleney lodged the last night, in an house of Count *Eßzerbazi*, Palatin of Hungary, it is one Hungarian mile to *Igmand*, at which we arrive by eight a cloek this morning. And one mile from thence toward the right hand we stop to see the city and fort of *Komora*. In a post calash we arrive on the banks of the *Danube* by ten a cloek, and passing over in a boat enter the city, whieh is seated on the point of the island *Schut*, where it is washed on one fide by the *Danube* itself; and on the other by that branch of it, which takes the name of *Wag*, from that river falling into it not far above the city *Komora*. The extreme point of this island is possessed by the castle and fort, consisting of four bastions, and an angle at the farther end, which reprents the figure of a tortoise. Before the gate and drawbridge there is a place of arms, and before that another strait fortification with two bastions and an half moon, added by the present Emperor. This was the last bulwark against the Turks, before the sueess of the last war, and is called the *Virgin Fort*, in token of its having never been taken by the enemy. To perpetuate the memory of this, the statue of a virgin is erected in one angle of that bastion, whieh is on the left hand at the entrance of the place. After this view of the castle we content ourselves with a slighter view of the town, which appears neat and compact; and by two a cloek return to his Exeelleney's quarters at *Igmand*, the whole way lying over a green, naked, and level plain. In the castle of *Komora* I found the three following inscriptions, two of them in Latin, and the third in Greek, which are cut upon stone coffins.

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JUNE xvii.

OUR next stage, which was three Hungarian miles, brought us from *Igmund* to *Rab*, thro a level country, and well cultivated. Half an hour before we enter the town, his Excellency is met by a troop of *Hussars* well mounted, and each man carrying a small flag in his hand. *Rab*, which is the proper government of the Prince of *Baden*, is pleasantly seated at the confluence of the rivers *Rab* and *Rabnitz*, which unite near the walls of the castle, and then in one stream immediately fall into the *Danube*. The castle is large, and well fortified with seven bastions, four cavaliers, and proportionable outworks. It contains within an ample space of ground, possessed with houses, and divided into streets, which make the best part of the city, the rest being more scattered and diffused on both sides of the *Rabnitz*. It is now about a century, since this place was taken from the Turks by a stratagem of Count *Schaurtzenburg*, who applying a petard to one of the gates in the night, at one stroke blew open the great iron door, which flew many paces within the town, and is now kept as a memorial of the fact in the cathedral church. The Turks marched in the sight of this garrison to the siege of *Vienna*, and received several shot from thence; and at their return, had the Imperialists of this place known their defeat, they might have intercepted their passage, by cutting down the bridges of the *Rab*.

JUNE xviii.

His Excellency staying this day at *Rab*, I took the opportunity of visiting *Stephanus Morsai*, the reformed minister of the place. And about ten a clock Mr. Stepney, her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary at *Vienna*, with the young Earl of Bridgwater, and his brother Mr. Egerton, came to *Rab* to meet my Lord Paget, and welcome him into these parts.

JUNE xix.

THIS day, thro frequent villages and fruitful feilds, we continue our journey two Hungarian miles to *Hungrisch Altenburg*, a small town with fair buildings, enclosed with a wall, and seated on the river *Leyta*, which at the distance of half a mile falls into the *Danube*. Here Mr. Stepney, my Lord Paget, and some others proceed directly to *Vienna*.

JUNE xx.

THREE Hungarian miles, thro a delicious and well tilled country, in sight of *Presburg* castle, we proceed to *Pruck*; just at the entrance of which we cross the *Leyta*, and by that means pass out of *Hungary* into *Austria*, of which *Pruck* is the first town in this road. It is a confiderable compact place, neatly built with an appearing magnificence, which they affect by building their houses high and uniform towards the street. It has a castle and a strong wall, tho not sufficient against the present art of war. In the market place is a pillar, that bears a profane image of the *Trinity*, the *Father* in the figure of an old man, the *Son* standing at his right hand, and the *Holy Ghost* in the shape of a *dove* hovering betwixt their heads. Here is an handsome convent of *Augustin* friars, and in the market place a new church not yet finished, which promises something both beautiful and magnificent.

JUNE xxi.

THIS day, being Sunday, we continue at *Pruck*, when I took an occasion of walking by the banks of the *Leyta*, in pleasent and delightful meadows.

JUNE xxii.

FOUR German miles from hence bring us to *Schweka*, a neat village near *Eberstorff*; where is a palace of the Emperor, and a large park, enclofed by the *Danube* and the *Schweka*.

JUNE xxiii.

By three in the afternoon his Excellency moves from hence, and in an hour and a half, at the distance of two German miles, happily arrives at *Vienna*; where he is lodged in the suburbs, betwixt

twixt the *Carishian* gate and the *Favorita*, in a palace of Count *Sterembergh*. After the repose of a day or two his Excellency had a separate audience of the Emperor, and Empress, the Archduke *Carlo*, and the four Archduchesses. And being visited by most of the nobility, courtiers, and ministers of the place, he afterwards took occasion of returning their respective visits.

VIENNA is seated on a point of land, made by the confluence of the river *Wien* and a branch of the *Danube*, which latter here enlarges itself about a thousand paces from its main chanel. The city is of a moderate circumference, scarce containing more than four thousand paces within the circuit of the walls; but round these, at a large distance, are extended many diffused suburbs, by means of which it may be placed among the larger cities of Europe. The fortifications are effective, regular, and intire; a large uninterrupted glacis, a strong pale, a deep and wide foss, a substantial curtain lined with brick, thirteen bastions, and as many ravelins, with six well defended gates. Answerable to these there are two arsenals within the city; one for ammunition and artillery belonging to the Emperor, and the other for small arms belonging to the citizens. The streets, tho few of them broad, are yet all of them fair and moderately straight, ranged on each side with lofty houses of four or five stories high, built with a good appearance, tho not really magnificent; for they shew a regularity of architecture in their windows, cornishes, and water tables, but the materials are only brick walls incrusted in imitation of freestone. Among the buildings of the city are interspersed several oblong piazzas, adorned with fountains, tho of no great art or curiosity. Yet there are two squares, each of which exhibits a considerable public monument; one being the pillar of the *Blessed Virgin*, and the other that of the most *Holy Trinity*. The former of these is a brass column, adorned round the four corners of the basis with as many figures of angels, and on the chapter bearing a noble statue of the *Madonna*, with her feet resting on a dragon. It was begun by the last Emperor, and finished by the present; and exhibits four religious or superstitious inscriptions, the chief of which is a triumphant declaration of the immaculate conception, as now confirmed by a papal verdict, and hence forward to be received as an article of faith. The latter pillar, called that of the *Holy Trinity*, is a magnificent column of marble and freestone rising sixty six feet high, almost in the form of a pyramid. It was the work
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of ten years, finished in 1692, at the expence of a hundred thousand florins, and erected by the present Emperor in commemoration of this city, and the dukedom of *Austria*, being delivered from the plague in the year 1679. It is adorned in three corners with these inscriptions, *Deo Patri Creatori*, *Deo Filio Redemptori*, *Deo Spiritui Sanctificatori*; and in three other places with larger devotions and dedications, composed by his Imperial Majesty. From the basis it rises in continual orbs and protuberances of clouds, surrounded with several intire angelie figures, out of which are seen the wings and heads of others. But on the top is represented in gilt brass the *Most Holy Trinity*: the *Holy Ghost*, as a dove, irradiated; the *Son* in an human figure, holding a cross; and the *Father* at his left hand, with no marks of majesty, but clothed in a loose gown, like an old man, bearing a globe in his right hand. At the bottom is the Emperor himself, kneeling indeed in a posture of devotion, but otherwise represented with more marks of honour and majesty, than the *Divine Being* which he adores. The figure of *God the Father* is very frequent in *Austria*, and variously expressed, sometimes in a nightgown and cap, and at other times with a papal crown.

THE cathedral church of this place is dedicated to *St. Stephen*, and is a stately antient building, having an high tower adorned throughout with crotehets so strong, that it withstood several canon shot in the late siege. It is now repaired, and bears in the work the date of that year, which was 1683. On the spire it has a cross rising from between the wings of the *Roman eagle*, instead of the *half moon*, which stood there before by compact with *Solymán the Magnificent*. The inside of the church is divided into three isles, at the upper end of which are many magnificent altars, with at least thirty more dispersed about the pillars and other corners of the church. Near the principal of these the walls are almost covered with pictures and sculptures, superstitiously dedicated on occasion of so many vows there made; which I call therefore, in the words of that ingenious heathen poet, *Tabulis sacer votivis paries*. Over the great altar is placed the picture of the *Madonna*, by the name of *Sta. Maria de Boes*, brought not long since from Hungary on occasion of its having shed tears; of which, I saw one at *Santa Margarita*, who pretended to be an eye witness. The anniversary of the day it was brought to *Vienna*, and of that, on which it wept, are celebrated by a public feast, when the Emperor likewise hears mass on the occasion. There is likewise another miraculous image

image of the *Virgin* at the lower north door of the cathedral, which is daily so thronged with worshipers on their knees, that it gives offence to the bishop of this city, who is endeavouring to suppress the picture, as well as the abuse. In this door is a white stone, worn considerably by the touch of all that enter there, as being thought to be one of those, with which *St. Stephen* was martyred. Round the body of the church are frequent monuments well carved, and some sculptures of the *History of the Gospel*, which can scarce anywhere be exceeded. There is likewise a new saint, whose statue of stone has been lately erected on all the bridges of *Vienna*. He is styled under his picture, *S. Joannes Nepomienus, Martyr*, who was drowned by a King of Bohemia for not discovering a confession of the Queen.

BESIDES this cathedral there are four or five parochial churches, of which the most remarkable is that of *St. Michael*; but among such a multitude of conventional churches, and each of these furnished with a large number of altars, the parochial are in a great measure obscured. The most splendid convents of the place are first, that of the Dominicans; after this the Benedictines, formerly belonging to the *Scotch*; then two belonging to the Jesuits, of which one is called the *Domus professa*, the other the *college*; next the Minorite Franciscans, then the Augustines, and lastly the Capuchines. Of these the Minorite Franciscans have in their chapel a pattern of the *Scala sancta*; the Augustines the *Capella aulica*, and the pattern of the *Temple of Loretto*; the Capuchines a small but pretty chapel in one side of their church, wherein are buried the deceased of the Imperial family. The roof of the church belonging to the college of Jesuits is now newly painted in perspective, that is inimitable, by *P. Pozzo* of that society; who likewise did the celebrated perspective in the church of that society at *Rome*.

VIENNA was made the seat of the Imperial family by *Ferdinand* the second, who translated it from *Gratz*. The imperial and royal palaces belonging to this place are, one old one in the city, usually called the *Bourg*; another in the suburb opposite to the Corinthian gate, called the *Favorite*; a third at *Eberstorff*, two hours distant from the city; and a fourth at *Luxemburg*, at the distance of two hours and a half. All these are plain, but spacious and convenient buildings; and the Emperor divides his residence

sidence betwixt them, according to the different seasons of the year. But at *Schonbran*, about two English miles distant from *Vienna*, is a new palace as yet in some measure unfinished; which is built for the King of the *Romans* after the Italian mode, adorned in the pinacles with statues, a gentle ascent and spacious stairs up to the entrance, beautified with a regular garden behind, and on the front two ranges of stables and offices, that form a regular square court. The rooms and apartments within are stately and well proportioned, and the doors and chimney pieces richly built with Polouian marble. Besides these, in the way to *Ebersforff* are to be seen the stately remains of the palace, called *Neugebac*; which was destroyed by the Turks in the late siege, and is not yet repaired. However there appears a regular front, consisting of proper pillars; and in some apartments of this ruined house are kept several wild beasts of great curiosity. These, with some others at *Schonbran*, I took an opportunity of viewing, and shall here give a brief account of them. At *Neugebac* are two *lions*, one of which is about five years old, but the most stately and majestic as can well be seen. Three *caffawares*, a species of bird without wings, the body of the size and shape of a sheep, the legs long and thick in proportion, the neck tall with a blue but blunt crest, the feathers black and exactly resembling those of an ostrich. Three *tigers*, one of a large and unusual size. Two *leopards* well spotted, their ears short, their head like that of a cat, but their body more approaching to a mongrel greyhound; they are swift, and hunt hares, or other creatures, which are thrown into their walk. Several *lynxes*, nothing different (as I am informed) from the panther; they are spotted with larger circles than a tiger or leopard, and much resemble a wild cat, but exceed it in size. An *hyaena*, much resembling a mastif, but the nose more round and contracted, a large belly, and a brindled spotted skin. A *beaver*, which is a little amphibious animal, of a flat figure, with a short neck and legs, a soft and thick fur, and a bare tail. These which follow, are at *Schonbran*. Several *wild goats*, the males with large horns, and therefore by the antients called *aegoceros*. Two *ostriches*, the one five, the other fifteen years old, the head higher than the ordinary stature of a man, the feathers black, except on the tail and tip of the wings, where they are milk white, the thighs perfectly bare, the legs long and substantial, the feet divided into two broad pulpy claws, which are thought poisonous, and in figure somewhat resembling those of a camel, whence they are called in

Latin *camelostruthi*. Two antilopes. A she elk, a timerous animal, which is made much like an hind, with a broad excrecent mouth. Three *uri*, in the figure of a bull, but a thicker and shorter neck, with the appearance of prodigious strength, and one of them very large. But concerning these two last species a fuller account may be seen in *Caesar, De B. Gall. Lib. vi. cap. 5.*

THERE are three libraries in this place. One is called *Biblioteca Windhagiana*, which belongs to the Dominican convent. Another is at the college of Jesuits, which is larger and better collected. But the third, which exceeds them both, and perhaps all others in these parts of the world, is that, which belongs to the Emperor at his palace in this city. In the Dominican library I saw a monstrous human *foetus* kept in spirits of wine; with another dried and stuffed, which is double in all its parts, as having two heads, four hands, four legs, and two trunks as far as the navel, where they unite into one body. But what I observed in the *Cae-sarian* library will deserve a more distinct relation, which I shall give in the following particulars.

THE most eminent Greek Mss. in the Catalogue of *Neffelinus*, with other curiosities by him mentioned, and particularly the pictures belonging to the *res vestiaria* of the antients; all which may be seen in the catalogue which I had there with me.

BESIDES what occurs in the *Neffelian Catalogue*, the antient *Ambrosian Ms.* of part of *Livy*, which is clear and legible; tho the contrary is asserted by Dr. Brown¹. It is the oldest copy now extant of that author, and tho it ends with *Lib. XLV*; yet there is added at the bottom of the page, *Liber XLVI incipit feliciter*, as if it was extant at that time, which is conceived by *Lambecius* to be about a thousand years since.

The *Ms. German Bible* of the Emperor *Wenceslaus*, in the margin of which, among other curious pictures relating to the sacred story, he is himself painted in more than fifty places, as washing in his *bagnio*, where he was once prisoner; together with the *bagnio* girl, who furthered his escape, and whom afterwards he so passionately loved.

A copy of the *golden bull*, containing the constitutions of the empire by *Charles the fourth*, in the first year of his empire. It

¹ *Travels into divers parts of Europe*, p. 145.

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is now a great curiosity, and was written for the use of the Emperor *Wenceslaus*, but forty years after the original published at *Waremburg* in 1356, and still received at *Augsburg*.

An elegant, tho' not very antient *Mſ.* of *Cicero's Orations*, with another more antient of *Ovid's Metamorphoses*.

The *Letter* of the prefent *Tartar Han* to the prefent Emperor, finely wrote on a long roll of silk.

A printed book of the *Confucian philosophy* in the *Sinēſe* character and language, published by the *Jesuits*.

A *Mſ.* book of *Latin letters*, written by the prefent Emperor to *Lambecius*, in a neat and elegant ſtyle; in which he always begins with, *Chare Lambeci*. To this is affixed the following *Epi-gram* on the prefent King of France by the faid Emperor, attested by *Lambecius* to have been written by the Emperor in his prefence at *Luxemburg*, 17 May 1666.

*Bella fugis, sequeris bellas, pugnaeque repugnas,
Et bellatori ſunt tibi bella tori.
Imbellis imbellis amas, totusque videris
Mars ad opus Veneris, Martis ad arma Venus.*

The celebrated *Mſ.* of *Jacobus Strada*, antiquary to *Maximilian* the ſecond, concerning antient medals; conſifting of eight volumes in this order: Vol. i. and ii. *De nummis consularibus*. Vol. iii. *De Latinis, a Julio Caſare ad Nervum*. Vol. iv. *De iisdem, a Nervo ad Alexandrum Severum*. Vol. v. *De iisdem, ab Alexandro Severo ad Claudiuſ Secunduſ*. Vol. vi. *De nummis Graecis a Julio Caſare ad Nervum*. Vol. vii. *De iisdem, a Nervo ad Alexandrum Severum*. Vol. viii. *De iisdem, ab Alexandro Severo ad triginta illos sub Gallieno tyrannos*. This work contains a collection of fair and choice medals, all exquifitely delineated by a pencil, each of which fills a whole page in *folio*; but the explication added by the author shews him to have been more laborious than learned, and discovers many notorious mistakes, as well in the tongues, as the history, to which the medals relate.

Two fragments, one in the *Greek*, the other in the *Latin tongue*, written on antient bark.

THE cafe of this library is very mean, being unfurnished with seats and benches, and diuided into four or five diſtinct apartments, besides another more ſeparate from the reſt, in which are kept all prohibited, that is, controverſial books in divinity, together

gether with the small remainder of *Matthias Corvinus's* library brought from *Buda*. But it is still a greater disadvantage to this library, that since the death of *Neffelius* it has for two years been without a librarian, and therefore is difficult of access, and not without a considerable fee. This defect is attributed to the great scarcity of learned men in these parts, especially those of the Roman faith; for which reason the two preceding librarians, *Lambecius* and *Neffelius*, being before Lutherans, were obliged to renounce their faith, when they accepted that employ.

OVER against the library is a long gallery, adjoining likewise to the palace, wherein is contained the Emperor's treasury. A noble and truly royal collection is here of innumerable curiosities, both of art and nature, with vast riches in silver, gold, precious stones, and jewels. But this likewise has the disgrace of being meanly exposed to sale, nor is it ever shewn under the exorbitant fee of twenty five florins; however I obtained two opportunities of viewing it, in the latter of which I took a large and distinct catalogue of the chief rarities deposited there, which would be too large to be here inserted.

THE university of this place is a numerous society, appropriated to several distinct nations, particularly those of the empire, and the Emperor's hereditary dominions; but it is remarkable for nothing but a low contracted institution, and administered wholly by the Jesuites, except that they refuse the office of *rector magnificus*, as being an expensive honour. The schools are tolerable and convenient apartments, adjoining to the Jesuits college; but the particular students are lodged privately, as every one's circumstances and convenience best serve him. But what they call the *academy* is in its kind more flourishing than the university; being a society instituted at the charge of the whole province of Austria, to instruct the young gentry and nobility in riding, fencing, dancing, the modern tongues, heraldry, history, and other polite arts. Their riding school is a noble room; and adjoining thereto is a stable of about forty managed horses, for the maintaining of which their instructor in horsemanship receives ten thousand florins annually from the public.

THE present Imperial family ordinarily residing in this palace consists of the Emperor; the Empress *Leonora*; the King and Queen
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Queen of the *Romans*; Archduke *Charles*; with the four Archduchesses, *Maria Elisabeth*, *Maria Anna*, *Maria Josepha*, *Maria Magdalena*. Of these the Emperor has now passed sixty two years of his age, the King of the *Romans* twenty four, and the Archduke will be seventeen in October next; the two elder of the Archduchesses have been some time marriageable, but the two younger are in their state of childhood. The Emperor is of a mild disposition, and conscientiously just, except where influenced by popish principles; he reasons solidly, has a happy memory, is both a lover and composer of music, skilled in the Hungarian, Sclavonian, and French tongues, and has an elegant taste of the Italian and Latin. Both he and his Empress appear truly devout in their way, which they testify by many instances of diffusive liberality and charity, as likewise by their frequent walks in processions, and daily visiting and dining in religious convents. Their garb, especially that of the Empress, is exceeding plain; their coaches and liveries of the old fashion; and their ceremonious dress is the habit and mode of Spain. Only they have now and then, what they call their *Gala days*, in which there is a great resort to court, and none appear there but in suits of gold and silver embroidery. So that it is the wisdom of this government, which has little reason to brag of its riches, to make this sort of luxury necessary, at a time when its more wealthy neighbours have either by prudent choice, or wholesome laws, wholly retrenched these superfluities. But to return to the character of the family. The Emperor is not only devout, but even bigoted to the Romish church, and fondly addicted to the priests, especially the Jesuits. The King of the *Romans* on the contrary is severely imbibed against them, but the Archduke is inclinable to tread in his father's steps. The Empress will sometimes undertake pilgrimages on foot to some famous shrine, or image, in the adjoining country; and promises herself no doubt great benefits from that painful superstition.

THE King of the *Romans* was gone to the siege of *Landau* before our arrival; but the remainder of the Imperial family I had frequent opportunity of seeing, particularly at their supper, or the operas, which are sometimes acted in a theatre at the *Favorite*. It is their custom to salute the Emperor by bowing the knee. Their table is truly moderate, and a remarkable example of temperance and parsimony. Their operas are excessive dull, the action mean

mean and trivial, and therefore more agreeable to the low genius and relish of this place. Another occasion, that offered me the sight of the Emperor and the Archduke, was at a certain sport, with which in summer time they frequently divert themselves. They send out a large and expensive train of carts, laden with tents, canvas, poles, and other utensils, into one of their adjoining parks. There in an open green a tent is pitched for the Emperor and his retinue, round which a large and long space of ground is enclosed with high rails of canvas. When the Emperor is arrived, and ready to begin his diversion, a rank of huntsmen sound their horns, the rails drop at one end, and the grand *cacciatore* rides out with his attendants to drive in an herd of deer, enclosed near at hand for this purpose. This done, they are forced up to the Emperor's tent, till at the distance of about twenty yards they stand in a throng together. Hereupon his Imperial Majesty takes a well poised carbine, rests it upon a fixt support, then applies a perspective glass to the barrel, and discharges among the herd; and thus, with the help of the Archduke, he stuns, or maims perhaps, a dozen at twice as many shots. At length they sit down to dinner, there talk over their diversion, and give this ignoble slaughter the name of a hunt.

DURING my stay at Vienna, I had the opportunity of three accidental but remarkable sights. The first of these was the execution of a woman by decollation, whose head the executioner struck off, as she sat in a chair, at one blow, levelled against the back part of her neck, with a two handed stroke, and a broad two edged sword. At these executions there assists, as in Italy, a number of about twenty persons, called the *confraternity of the dead*, habited in black, with masks, broad brimed hats, and mourning staves. They are a fixed society, composed of citizens of the middle rank, on whom their confessors impose it, as a piece of penance, to assist *incognito* on these occasions. But most remarkable was the fact and behaviour of the criminal, who was about twenty six years of age, and in the absence of her husband, now three years imprisoned at Presburg, had admitted the embraces of a young man, whom she passionately loved, but at length discovered to be upon the design of marrying another woman. After the most earnest but fruitless endeavours to divert his intention, she invites him one morning to a walk beyond the *Favorite*, and in a remote place enticing him to kiss her, takes occasion to

shoot him in the head. This done, she immediately resigns herself to justice, reveals the whole fact, and implores her speedy dispatch; that so she might have his company in the other world, without whom she could not live in this. She walked with a fresh undaunted countenance to the place of sentence, which tho before designed and notified accordingly, yet is never formally pronounced till the time of execution. From thence she returned to the place of her death, sat down in the chair, and then received the stroke, without ever wavering her body, changing her complexion, or dreading the blow she was to feel. At these executions they often catch the blood of the criminal, as good against the falling fickness'.

ANOTHER ceremony that occurred, while I resided here, was the investiture of the Duke of *Saxony*, and other inferior Princes of that circle, now at length demanded of his Imperial Majesty, at the *Favorite*, on the eighth of August. The five several representatives of the Elector and other Princes kneeling before the Emperor, who was seated on a low throne, did sealily in behalf of their respective patrons, rehearsed their pedigrees and title to their principalities, and requested of his Imperial Majesty to be invested in their several dignities. This being granted to them, they then took the proper oath at the feet of the Emperor; afterwards kissed the handle of a sword, which he held forth to each of them; and at last retiring to their first places, there on their knees they recognized the authority of his Imperial Majesty, and so were dismissed.

THE third solemnity was a pompous procession, undertaken to accompany the bones of three Saints, namely, *Sancta Victoria*, *Sanctus Alexander*, and *Sanctus Justus*, from *St. Stephen's* to the chapel of the Emperor's palace in the city. They were newly brought from Italy, where being observed by Prince *Leichtenstein* in his late embassy to *Rome*, and found to have some relation to Hungary, of which two of them were natives; they were thought proper to be transmitted to *Vienna*, and accordingly purchased very dear, one of them standing him in no less than four thousand florins. In this procession marched all the religious orders, ranked in their several fraternities, except that the *Jesuits* dis-

¹ Vid. *Plin. Lib. xxviii. c. i. et Harduin. in loc.*

posed themselves promiscuously among the laity. After the monks and friars followed the meaner people, to the number of about two thousand; then the gentry, tho in a smaller number; after them a few of the nobility; then the Archduke and Emperor; and last of all the Empress and Archduchesses. Each person of this numerous train maintained a decent gravity, except the Archbishop of Vienna, who being dressed in his episcopal robes and mitre walked like a horse in gaudy trappings, flinging about his legs, surveying his rich vestments, and looking up to the ladies and other spectators, who admired him from the windows, under which he passed.

AUGUST xxvii.

THIS day I went in a calash, together with Mr. Montague and Mr. Gangain, to Petronel, a village on the Danube, about twenty four English miles from Vienna, seated in the place of the antient Carnuntum, where M. Antoninus held his capital quarters to bridle the Marcomanni for the space of three years, and then retiring on account of his indisposition to Vindobona died there. While we were on the road, I was entertained by those gentlemen, with a relation of what they had seen the day before. Count Sherradin of Bohemia had several times shot a pistol bullet into a mark of the size of a florin, at the distance of forty yards. And at this he is said to be so expert, that his pages will venture to hold a florin between their thumb and forefinger, which he dexterously uses to strike without hurting them. The like is sometimes practised by the present King of Poland, tho he once broke the fingers of a page in making the experiment. We here saw the remains of a triumphal arch, the fornix of which is yet intire; erected, as is thought by Nesselius and Lambecius, on occasion of that Pannonian expedition of Tiberius, which is so much celebrated by Paterculus¹. The inhabitants here shewed us various Roman coins, tho none of any noted value. The village now belongs to Count Traun, who is descended from Babo, count of Abensberg, who had forty children by two lawful wives; thirty two of which, being sons, were presented by him to the Emperor, Henry the second, who preferred them all. Count Traun has here a stately palace, called the Castle, where we saw the story of the thirty two sons of Count Babo painted at large². The house is mated round,

¹ Lib. ii. cap. 96 et 114.

² See Imhof. Lib. x. cap. 16.

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as is usual all over this country. In the infide is a noble hall, well painted in the roof, and at the entrance of the gate is fixt an antient Latin inscription, which I have here transcribed.

SILVANAB. ET
QVADRBIS : AVG. SACRVM
C. ANTONINVS VALENTINVS
VET. LEG. XIII. G. MVRVM A FV
NDAMENTIS CVM SVO INT
ROITO ET PORTICVM CVM
ACCVBITO VETVSTATE CONLA
BSVM IMPENDIO SVO RESTITV
IT GENTIANO E BASSO COS.

AUGUST xxix.

His Excellency with his whole family retired this day from Vienna to Baden, a small town, yet enclofed with an old wall, and celebrated for its baths, which are of pure sulphur. They rise in feveral places about the town, without any mixture of steel or other mineral, and are there collected into feveral square cisterns railed about with wood; where people of different quality bathe in distinct bagnios, and in some eascs with good fucecs. The town is feated four hours from Vienna, at the foot of the hills, which I take to be the Pannonian Alps. In this place Mr. Paget and I ufed the constant excrise of walking morning and evening, where I experienced a happy restoration of my health, once much debilitated in Turky. *Gloria in excelsis Deo!*

SEPTEMBER XXV.

His Excellency now sent Mr. Paget and myself to see the castle of Luxemburg, situated in the way betwixt Baden and Vienna. It is a mean building, in the form of a small quadrangle, and moted round. I obserued feveral curious pictures in it, one particularly fine of the *seven liberal sciences*, in the dining room of the Emperor; another of the prefent King of France, when about four years of age; a third of *Charles the fifth*; a fourth of *Matthias Corvinus* and his father *Huniades*. The dining room is observable for an accident of thunder, which, while the Emperor and his family were at dinner, entered the room at one quarter,

¹ Spon, who has published this inscription, observes, that by these QVADRBIS might be meant, *Jemimumina quadrivii* praesidentia; quales in bivii et triviis Her- mi seu Mercurii ab antiquis culti. Miscell. erud. antiqu. pag. 84.

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passed in a semieircle about the table, and made its way thro the opposite wall with great explosion; while the Emperor remained in his seat with a remarkable calmnes and serenity of mind. Adjoining to this building is a delightful park enclosed with pales; and nearer to the house a thick grove of elm and oak, in which is a long walk, and avenues so cut, as to resemble all the streets of Vienna.

SEPTEMBER XXIX.

THIS day Mr. Paget and I by the direction of his Excellency went to see a glafs house, newly erected in the hills adjoining to this place, at the distance of about three hours. Our way thither lay thro a delicioius vale, whieh conveys a small river, is graeed with green meadows on each side, and above these with rising hills, adorned with a variety of trees, but particularly pines and firs. I here observed the several curiosities of that art and manufaecture, whieh, tho frequent in England, I had never before seen. Returning home we stept a little to the left hand, to visit a convent of Cistercian monks, by the name of St. Closs, founded in the year 1131, by St. Leopold, Marques of Austria. During the late siege of Vienna it was burnt by the Tartars (the common fate of all this country for thirty or forty Holland miles round Vienna) but soon after rebuilt by its own abbot, Clement Scheffer, in a more stately and splendid manner. Here reside an abbot, a prior, and about sixty monks, all royally maintained by noble revenues belonging to the monastery. They are neatly and genteely dressed, lodged in pleasant ehams, have their public appartments alike magnifieent, a fine garden, and prospeets beautified with vistas and avenues cut in the adjoining woods. The abbot was then absent, but the prior and librarian treated us at supper, where we were served with seven or eight dishes, the best old wines, and conversation far from monkish. The librarian particularly was pleased to ridicule the custom of signing all the doors of this country with C. M. B. whieh the people fondly esteem a charin against fire and thievery; but he, as he said, instead of *Cuspar Malcheir Bulkasar*, was wont to interpret these letters *Cax Mundus Beelzebub*. At the same time I could not but be highly offended at a certain jocular freedom, with whieh he treated the *Holy Scripture*, saying with a profane mirth, when he delivered to us a glafs of wine, *Transeat a me calix iste*; and when he had tossed off

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his own, *Consummatum est.* In truth we here saw not any token of popish zeal or superstition, as is usual in other places, no crucifixes, or images of the *Trinity*, *Virgin*, and the like; but instead of these, the whole Imperial family excellently well painted, and these in rooms, which for grandeur exceeded any, that the Emperor is master of in his palaces about *Vienna*. Here they favoured us with a lodging after a gentle and candid entertainment, and dismissed us in the like manner by eight a clock the next morning. Their library was mean, but the case very neat; tho the library had been much larger before the destruction by the Tartars. However I saw here a good Latin *Mſ.* of the *New Testament*, without the *Epistles* of *St. Peter*, *James*, or *John*; and the *Apocalypse* placed immediately after *St. John's Gospel*.

OCTOBER iv.

My Lord and his family now returned from *Baden* to *Vienna*, where he lodged within the city in the house of *C. Stratman*, at the rate of five hundred florins a month. At *Baden* I was able to observe nothing, except some small matters relating to country affairs. As their way of making wine in the field, where they mash the grapes in broad open tubs, and tun it into large casks, as they lie in the cart. The manner of enclosing their vineyards with high poles joind at the top, and burnt at bottom to secure them from corrupting by the moisture of the ground. The manner of drawing sometimes with asses, and at other times with oxen, joining the harness to their horns without the use of yokes. I observed likewise their custom of calling a public officer upon the death of any animal; before which they dare not touch the carcass, he only being impowered to carry it away to a certain place, and there flea it, for which he receives three florins. This officer is called the *bound slayer*, because twice a year he is obliged to kill all the dogs both in town and country, that are found without a collar, which is thought an institution against spreading of infectious diseases.

OCTOBER v.

THIS day I waited upon Mr. Stepney, who among other papers from England shewed me that traitorous Epigram, written in praise of *Sorrel*, or the horse, from which his late Majesty received his fatal fall.

OCTOBER XXV.

THERE was brought to his Excellency's house a male child, seven years of age, born at *Rijetsch*, three miles and a half from *Papa*, of a beautiful countenance, but without legs or thighs; and the left hand deformed, but the right intire. It walks, and raises itself with ease, while its trunk supplices the use of one leg, and the right hand that of the other. The hips terminate in a round figure, not unlike a woman's breasts, and have in the middle an excrescence exactly resembling a large nipple. The child is healthy and lively, and from the crown of the head to the extremity of the trunk is three palms and a half long.

I HAD now, in company of severall English gentlemen, an opportunity of seeing the Emperor's collection of pictures, which is expos'd at the price of twelve florins. It consists of three long galleries, with four or five large and square chambers. The whole number of pieces amounts to a thousand six hundred and sixty three, performed by the best hands of Europe, particularly these which follow: *Albert Durer*, *Anton. Correggio*, *Bassan*, *Palma senior and junior*, *Prugel senior and junior*, *Paul Veroneſe*, *Bronzini*, *Franck senior*, *Paduanino*, *Jo. Bellino*, *Pouſſin*, *Gerome Poſſ*, *Portononi*, *Spagnoletto*, *Raphael Sancio*, *Gior-gioni*, *Titian*, *Tintoretto*, *Van Ach*, *Holbein*, *Rubens*, *Van Dick*, *John de Heem*, *Pauditz*, and others. Among these there was one piece of *Raphael*, which seemed to excel the rest, being a *saint holding a crucifix*, which belonged to the cabinet of King *Charles the first of England*, and was sold by *Oliver* to this court for twelve thouſand florins. Besides this collection of pictures, there is another ſet of rarities, preserved in a cabinet at one end of the third gallery, and conſisting of *intaglios* and *cameos*; among which is a large head of *Domitian* in agate; a ſeries of gold medals, and among them two of *Otho*, to which is added a *Pisennius Niger* in silver of the third ſize. In the fame cabinet are ſeveral small ſtatues of brafs and ſtone, among the reſt thoſe of *Venus* and *Hercules*; and likewiſe ſeveral antient buſts, particularly of *Plato* and *Ariſtotle*; with divers ſepulchral lanips, urns, and other re-mains of antiquity. To ſay nothing of the curioſities found in the tomb of *Childeric the first* by *Leopold William*, Archduke of

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Austria, and uncle to this Emperor, at *Tournay* in the year 1657. Among these are some remarkable gold coins of that time, with the repeated emblem of flies or bees, the wings of which at a distance give the figure of a *flower de lys*, and are supposed to be the real arms of France, tho this resemblance has occasioned their being mistaken for that flower. But more especially is to be remembred the order of antient busts ranged on one fide of the three galleries, among which are several heads of *Emperors*, and *Satys*, with one of *Socrates*; as likewise an intire figure of *Magna Mater turrita*, with a *lion* under her chair, a *tympanum* in her left hand, and *patina* in her right; which cost this court a thousand florins at *Rome*.

NOVEMBER iii.

I WENT to visit Mr. *C. Boét*, a famous painter in enamel, who had a salary from his late Majesty, whose picture, with those of other confederate Princes, drawn by him he now shewed me. But that which is most remarkable, he is at present working for this court the largest piece, that ever was known in enamel, being an oval of eighteen inches by fifteen; which contains the figures of the Emperor and Empress, King and Queen of the *Romans*, with the Archduke, the four ArchdutchesSES, and the two young Daughters of the King of the *Romans*. He was sent for hither by his late Majesty on purpose for this work, for which when finished he is by compact to receive four thousand ducats of gold. The materials of it are a copper plate covered with a white enamel, which being hardened in the fire, is afterwards painted over in colours of a peculiar composition, with oil of lavender and rosemary; and then again put into the fire to receive a gloss, and additional hardness; after which it is liable to no accident, but that of breaking. It may be observed, that all the red colours in this work are made of gold.

NOVEMBER vi.

THIS day by order of his Excellency I waited on the two young *Messieurs Olmeus* and others, in order to see the Emperor's treasury the third time, and thereby perfected my catalogue of those rarities.

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And his Excellency being then preparing for his departur., the Emperor presented him with six thousand dollars.

NOVEMBER viii.

His Excellency with his retinue now set forward from *Vienna* towards *Holland*, and proceed two german miles to *Eutzensdorff*. A little before the midway we cross the *Danube* over a wooden bridge four hundred paces in length, and continue near the banks of the river to the above mentioned town. And as we continued there the following day, I walked down to the banks of the *Danube*, where it flows under the castle of *St. Leopold*, near *Closter Newburg*, and in the extreme point of *Mons Cetius*.

NOVEMBER x.

THIS day we proceed two German miles and a half further to *Stockerau*, and there meet *C. Schlick*, *Mr. Stepney*, *Mr. Montague*, and *Mr. Gangain*, with whom we proceed three miles and a half further to our lodgings at *Holibrun*. And from thence his Excellency, with the said company, the next morning goes out an hour to *Count Sereny's*, there to wait on the King of the *Romans*, now returning from the campaign on the *Rhine*. By one o'clock the King and Queen arrived at the Count's, where his Excellency had an audience of both their Majesties; after which they sat down to table, and his Excellency and company dined with the court, and afterwards returned to *Holibrun*.

NOVEMBER xii.

THIS day we advance about five miles further in *Austria*, and then crossing the *Tey*a enter into *Moravia*, now called *Makren*, and take up our quarters at *Znaim*, the *Medoflanium* of *Ptolemy*. This is a fair and fortified town, tho of the old fashion, upon the river *Tey*a, which runs hence into the *Morawa*, antiently the *Marus*, and with that into the *Danube*. In the year 1645 this town was taken and pillaged by the Swedes. It has two market places, in each of which is a good fountain; and in one of them the image of the *Virgin*, erected on a fair pillar, and inscribed with a new sort of *Gloria Patri*, that is, *LAVS DEO, MARIAE QVE VIRGINI, SANCTISQVE SVIS.* There are likewise several convents,

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of Capuchines, Dominicans, Jesuits, and Premonstratensians; and it is remarkable for excellent endivc.

NOVEMBER xiii.

We stay this day at *Znaim*, and the day following proceed three German miles to *Budwitz*, thro pleasant woods of fir, with fertile open fields. And moving from thence the next morning, three more German miles carry us thro *Babitz* and *Drumna* to *Pernitz*, by a pleasant way, thro a country sometimes open and well tilled; and at other times thro delightful woods of pine or fir, intermixt with juniper and a few birch; but scarce any other shrubs or trees in the whole country. At *Pernitz* is a convent of *Paulins*, so called from *S. Francisco di Paula*, a strict order, that eats no flesh nor fish throughout the year. In this place live several Jews, who are bound to wear blue ruffs, as a mark of distinction.

NOVEMBER xvi.

Two German miles thro woods of fir and arable ground bring us to *Iglaw*. This city, reasonably well fortified, has a large and clean market place, round which the houses have false fronts, and are handsomely painted on the outside with pleasant landscapes or historics. At the upper end of it is a statue of the *Virgin* on a column, like that at *Znaim*; both seeming to be an imitation of that at *Vienna*. We bait an hour at *Iglaw*, and then pass on one German mile to a small village, called *Steken*. But immediately beyond the wall of *Iglaw* we pass a river of the same name, and there enter into *Bohemia*, whence we continue our way over a large lake, with a road cast up betwixt the two branches of it, and delicate woods of fir adorning its banks. This wood is of large extent, and seems to be a continuation of the *Sylva Hercynia* in this country, now called *Behemerwaldt*.

NOVEMBER xvii.

We stay this day at *Steken*, where I had leisure to observe in general concerning *Moravia*, that the country is fertile and well tilled, except where it is overrun with pine or fir woods. The people are all slaves to the lords of the several mansions; but this extends only to their labour, not the property of their gain. The language

language of the place is *Bebemish*, a dialect of the *Sclavonian*; but at inns and other public houses they ordinarily speak *Tuysech*. The government is divided into five districts, of which there are as many captains, but the command of the whole province is committed by the Emperor to Count *Thorn*. The river *Morawa* is likewise called *Mark* by the Germans; which latter name seems to relate to the antient inhabitants, the *Marcomanni* (who with the *Quadi* were here settled) as the former name does to the *Moravians*. Through the whole extent of the country we frequent meet with large lakes, at the distance perhaps of an English mile.

NOVEMBER XVIII.

THIS day we proceed one mile and a half to *Tuylschenbrode*, an old fortification on the river *Sazawa*, and from thence two miles to *Habern*, in a wood on the right hand. *Tuylschenbrode* was the place, where General *Zejka* beat the Emperor *Sigismund*, and by that defeat drove him out of Bohemia.

NOVEMBER xix.

One mile brings us this day to Janikaw, and two more from thence to Czaſlaw; the place where Ferdinand the second narrowly escaped being assassinated by an Italian, hid for that purpose in an oven. Half a mile farther carries us to a small hamlet, called *Wasser Cratz*. Of these towns Janikaw is the place, where the battle was fought betwixt the Swedes and Imperialists in 1645; and Czaſlaw, where General Zejka lies buried.

NOVEMBER XX.

From *WasserCratz* we proceed one quarter of a German mile, and then having the city of *Kuttenberg* on our left hand, a little farther in the road we pass by two Imperial mines, where they are now at work, and dig up a mixt oar, consisting of copper, lead, and silver, a specimen of which they then shewed us. At one mile and a half from our last lodging we come to *Kottin*, and there breakfast. Then proceeding another mile and a half, we arrive at *Blanyan*. From *Kottin* flows the river *Elb*, which takes its name about five miles below that place, and is there scarce na-

vigable. As we travel, we keep it in sight on the right hand, and the woods still on the left.

NOVEMBER XXI.

Two miles and a half from *Branyan* carry us to *Oval*, thro an open arable country, with a continued tract of woods on our left hand. In the midway we bait at the poor town of *Bobainsbrodt*. But the day following for two miles and a half we pass thro a pleasant grove of birch and pine, and afterwards thro open ploughed feilds to *Prague*.

NOVEMBER XXIII.

His Excellency staying this day at *Prague*, I took that opportunity of viewing every thing I could of that noble city, which is thought to be the largest in Germany. It is inclofed with one intire wall, two third parts of which are regularly divided into curtains and bastions; but the remaining third is old and defencelss. Tho indeed the whole town is commanded by ascending ground, that no fortification can make it long defensible. The *Muldaw*, a large and rapid river, divides it into two parts, which are again joined by a fair and stately bridge of stone, seventeen hundred feet long and thirty five broad, supported by twenty four arches. Both parts of the city are adorned with great variety of magnificent buildings, the most remarkable of which I visited in this order.

ADJOINING to the *Star* inn, where his Excellency lodged, is the new convent of Irish *Cordeliers*; and in the same neighbourhood are two seminaries, one called that of the *Archbishop*, and the other that of *St. Norbert*, patron of this kingdom; both which profess academical learning, but in societies distinct from the university of the place.

HENCE the way leads us to the townhouse, a large and stately building, which at one corner has a piece of clock work, giving the motions of the seven planets. On one side of this opens a fair piazza, with two curious pieces of workmanship. The first of these is a statue of the *B. Virgin* trampling on the *Dragon*, erected on a stone pillar, on the pedestal of which are four *Angels* defeating the like venomous monsters. This implies a triumphant declaration

claration of her immaculate conception, and imitates that work before observed at *Vienna*. The second curiosity is a fountain of carved marble, with a basin of twelve sides, on which are cut very beautifully the twelve signs of the *Zodiac*.

FROM hence we pass to a college of Jesuits, a noble and spacious building. The church is a fine fabric, and prodigiously rich; the cloister large, and adorned with agreeable pictures; among the rest are large tables divided into little squares, containing the short history and pourtraiture of the eminent persons of their order for preaching, missions, and conversions, among whom are a great number of English.

THE same way leads us to the bridge above mentioned, and thence to another college of the Jesuits; but the third, and most splendid of this order, is in that part of *Prague* called the new city, which we had not an opportunity of seeing.

WE now turn to the right hand, and in an eminent part of the city are brought to the Emperor's palace, old and irregular in outward appearance, but within its precincts is the old cathedral church, an handsome Gothic building of the year 923, as appears by an inscription on the chief altar. The stateliness of the old architecture, with the richness as well as beauty of the modern ornaments, make it a venerable pile. They have here a picture of the *Virgin*, which is pretended to be of *St. Luke's* hand. At the gate entering into this palace there is another in sight, which is the residence of the Archbishop.

FROM the cathedral we are carried to the *Capuchin* cloister, which consists of a small but most beautiful quadrangle. Round the four sides, under a fair portico, are painted thirty different copies of so many of the most eminent and miraculous images of the *Virgin*, each in the proper garb, posture, and colours of the originals; and the remaining space of the wall beneath is filled with votive tables, in acknowledgement of favours received from each picture. I thought this collection observable, in that it is an apparent instance of the different representations of the *B. Virgin*, who is not invoked under the same character in all places, and on all occasions; but according to the fancy of the first painters, and the superstition of the late devotees, is split into so many distinct

distinct objects of worship ; as the Lady *de Victoria*, *de Litera*, *de Consilio*, *Crysoftomiana*, *Cyrilliana*, *Bernardina*, *Lauretana*, *Eremitana*, *Cellensis*, *Passaviensis*, *Wranoviensis*, *Hallenfis*. As this shews how polytheism crept in among the heathen, who first of all worshiped God under so many distinct attributes, and afterwards as so many distinct beings ; so it argues greater superstitution in the church of Rome : for instead of the several characters of *Venus*, as *Cypria*, *Cytherea*, *Viatrix*, and others ; or of *Diana*, as *Arcinia*, *Lencophryne*, *Tanrica*¹ ; we have many more of *Sta. Maria*. In the middle of this quadrangle is an handsome imitation of the chapel of *Loretto*, with the *Virgin* and our *Savior* above the altar in the completion of *Moors* ; and on the outside walls are various religious stories elegantly represented.

FROM hence we proceed to the celebrated cloister of Premonstratensians, called the *Shawhoff*, in which above an hundred persons are maintained in a princely manner. I was here shewn a rich chapel, wherein before the incursion of the Swedes were many large and curious statucs of solid brass, particularly those of the twelve *Apostles* ; which by Count *Koningsmarck* were converted into canon, when he took this part of the city, tho he was soon again repulsed. In the middle of the church, in a stately open monument, is preserved the body of *St. Norbert*, the founder of this order. Over the tomb is suspended a gilt crown of a prodigious size, the diamcter of the rimb being at least three ells. After the chapel I saw their library, which is neat and well filled, but with books in the taste of the last age. They have here a monkish contrivance of a wheling desk with six sides, on each of which may lie several books, so as to be turned round in their order, without falling off in the motion. From the library we passed to their private chapel, wherein is a crucifix, which the monk, who shewed it us, attested to have seen illuminated in the night, while no candle was in the room. In an adjoining gallery is a large statue of our *Savior*, which they affirm to have once sweat blood about the neck, and shew the marks thereof still remaining. From hence we are carried to their winter refectory, a large and regular stove room, well contrived for warmth and beauty at the same time. But their summer refectory is a pattern of beauty, proportion, and magnificence, being paved with black and white marble, with

¹ Vid. Apul. De Iside : *Cujus numen uni- multijuge totus veneratur orbis. Metam. cum multiformi specie, ritu vario, nomine Lib. ii. pag. 280.*

three large windows on one side, and round the walls about twelve large pictures of eminent persons of their order ; and the whole is exceedingly well contrived, both for the entertainment of the mind, and repose of the body. They shewed us likewise another large room, with a numerous collection of their most meritorious members in little squares ; and last of all the chambers of the monks, with two adjoining gardens, one for the fathers, the other for the brethren of the society, which completed the pleasure of the sight.

NEXT to this convent we went to see a Jewish synagogue, of which there are eight in this place, the number of that nation amounting to above ten thousand, who for distinction sake are all obliged to wear a blue ruff.

ON the stately bridge over the *Muldaw* are to be observed several curious statues of the *Virgin*; of our *Savior*; and of the new *Saint* lately set up in all parts of this kingdom, as well as on all the bridges of *Vienna*, being a curious piece of cast brass with this inscription :

DIVO IOANNI NEPOMENENO ANNO MCCCLXXXIII
AB HOC PONTE DEIECTO EREXIT MATTHIAS L. B.
DE WVNESWITZ ANNO MDCLXXXIII.

He was here drowned for not revealing to the King of Bohemia a confession of his Queen.

THE famous university of this place, which in the time of *John Hus* consisted of forty thousand students, is not even now so far diminished, but that when they have occasion to assault the Jews, or other citizens, they can muster about twelve thousand. They consist of young persons, not collected into regular societies, as with us, but lodging in private houses, from whence they repair to the public schools at the appointed hours of lecture. There are three of these schools, one in each part of the city, where all academical learning is professed by the ablest of the Jesuits ; for these have the sole direction of the university, and are the only rich prevailing persons in Bohemia, particularly in the capital city, where they amount to the number of a thousand.

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NOVEMBER xxiv.

THIS day we leave *Prague*, and procced four miles, thro an open ploughed country, to *Sloney*. In the way we receive the confirmation of the good news, which we first heard at *Iglaw*; that seventeen Spanish galleons in the port of *Vigo* were fallen under the power of our grand fleet, eleven being taken, and six funk; and that the whole squadron of *Chateaurenault*, being twenty nine men of war, were either funk or taken.

NOVEMBER xxv.

HIS Excellency continues yet at *Sloney*, a fmall but walled town, with a large market place, as usual in these parts. It was formerly a seat of protestants, and therefore barbarously destroyed by *Ferdinand* the third. The day following we intend for *Launa*, threc miles from hence; but the place being taken up for the quarters of five thousand Saxon soldiers, now moving against Bavaria, we lodge at *Clamston*, half an hour short of it; where we continue two days, by reason of a great quantity of snow, which then fell.

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LEAVING *Clamston*, at the distance of one quarter of a German mile we pass under the walls of *Launa*, and there cross the *Egra* by a long wooden bridge, covered with a penthouse, as is usual in this country. From thence we come to *Bitin*, the estate of Prince *Lobcowitz*, where we bait one hour; and from thence proceed to *Deplitz*, the estate and seat of Count *Clery*, remarkable for an hot bath.

NOVEMBER xxx.

HIS Excellency from hence designed the straight road, by the way of *Framstein*, *Fiburg* (where are silver mines, and the tombs of the electors of Saxony) *Waltheim*, *Coldick*, *Walcowitz*, and so to *Leipsick*. In the mean time he permitted me to quit his retinue, in order to see *Dresden*. With this intent I take a post waggon from *Deplitz* to *Peterswaldi*, the distance of two miles, in which I pass the hill of *Kaisberg*. From *Peterswaldi* I take a new post,

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and soon after I have left the town pafs the boundary of *Bohemia* and *Saxony*; and at two miles end changing post at a little village not far from *Pirn*, by this third post I come under its walls, and prefently am upon the banks of the *Elbe*, along which I ride about half an hour, and then quitting the river arrive about five a clock at *Dresden*, being in all six miles from *Deplitz*. It being now dark, I repair immediately to my lodgings at the houfe of one *Leonard Serert*, betwixt the two market places, a civil host, who spoke both French and Italian. The way from *Peterswald* to *Dresden* is very agreeable, being interperfed with woods of fir. The villages are better built, and more populous, than thofe of *Bohemia*; where indeed neither towns nor villages are thin, but the people very few, and thofe dejeeted with a fene of poverty and slavery, occafioned partly by the tyranny of the church, and partly by the constitution of the government, which makes the peafants slaves to their Lords, as in *Moravia*.

DECEMBER i.

I continue at *Dresden* this and the three following days, to obfcrve the curiofities of the place. It is a neat well built town, with straight and fair streets, compact but not large, enclofed within a regular fortification, and a deep fos constantly filled with water. It stands upon the *Elbe*, over which it has a noble bridge, almost as long as that of *Prague*, fupported by eighteen arches, and on each side affording a delightful prospect along the bending chanel of the water. By this bridge the city is joined to a neat suburb, called *Old Dresden*, the refidence chiefly of merchants, among whom I found two Englishmen, Mr. Northcigh and Mr. Dealing, by both whom I was kindly treated. *Dresden* was always the refidence of the Electors of Saxony, till this prefent Elector was chofen King of *Poland*. However it is the ordinary feat both of the Electrefs, and the Prince, who is fix years old; but both of them happened to be abfent now. The Deputy of the Elector is the Prince of *Furſtemberg*, who is of the Popish religion, but the whole town is intirely Lutheran. They have threc churches, *St. Croſſ*, *Sta. Sophia*, and the chapel of the court. *St. Croſſ* is a large antient Gothic building, well adorned in the infide, particularly with a carved and stately altar. The number of minifters is about twelve, whose revenue is very fmall, and therefore the people here complain, that they make up that defect by the abufes
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of confession. The palace is a fair stone building, consisting of two courts, of which the first is large and regular, adorned both within and without with very good carving, and painting in *fresco*, which deserves regard, particularly one part of it that fronts the street, and represents a *Roman triumph*. The gardens are likewise curious, and the riding school is remarkably spacious; but what obscures every thing else in *Dresden*, and perhaps all others of the same kind in Germany, is the *kunstкаммер*, with the arsenal, and stable of the Elector. Each of these are shewn to strangers at the price of three florins, the curiosities of which I reduced into a catalogue. On the bridge at *Dresden* is erected a curious brass *crucifix*, not inferior to that of *Prague* in the workmanship, but far exceeding it in design, and bearing an inscription, that disavows all superstitious worship.

DECEMBER iv.

AT six a clock this evening, it being then very dark, I take a passage in the ordinary post chaise for *Leipsick*, paying four florins for the space of thirteen German miles. By ten at night we come to *Mitsen*, and there cross the *Elbe* over a large covered bridge. The benefit of the star light gives me opportunity to observe some part of the town, particularly the castle seated on very high ground. Hence we continue our journey all night, till about ten a clock the next morning we come to *Wurzen*, where we dine; and then ferrying over the *Muldaw*, now a large and rapid river, after having endured a cold and severe snow all the day, we arrive at *Leipsick* about five a clock in the afternoon, where I provide myself with a private lodging.

DECEMBER vi.

THIS morning his Excellency and his retinue arrive at *Leipsick* by eleven a clock, and lodge at the *Golden hen* in the high street, to which place I therefore now remove myself.

LEIPSICK is a neat and compact place, well built, the streets almost straight, and conveniently wide. The market place is a regular quadrangle, surrounded with fair and lofty houses, among which is the town hall, or court of justice. Not far from the market is another small square, at one end of which is a new and spacious room, to which we ascend by stone steps. This serves

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for an exchange, where the merchants meet. The city has three large churches, one of *St. Nicholas*, another of *St. Thomas*, and a third called the *New Church*. These are all well beautified within, especially that of *St. Nicholas*, the altar of which is a neat pile, representing in good sculpture the burial and resurrection of our Savior, his shewing his wounds to *St. Thomas* and the other disciples, and over the whole his ascension in a cloud. At the upper end of the two outward isles are painted two good pieces of perspective. The town has no public buildings, besides an old castle, and a new hospital; the latter of which serves both for the reception of lunatics, and also a house of correction for vagabonds. The fortification is regular, and of the new fashion, but not of any great importance; however it has a foss, that may be filled with water upon occasion from the *Pleis*, which washes the walls of the city.

THE town is governed by a senate of twenty three, of whom three, called *Burgomasters*, have the prime authority; and by a chief magistrate, who has the title of *consul*, and is chosen annually. The present consul is one *Romanus*, a young gentleman of great fortune, and vast designs; who is erecting a noble palace in the city, built of free stone. Among the senators are several persons of quality, who have fair estates, and a learned education.

THERE is a good library belonging to the city, lately purchased at the expence of the senators, and which they daily improve by new accessions. Among the citizens of this rank and character I contracted an acquaintance with Mr. *U'agner*, who speaks good English, and has been long preparing a comment on the obscurities of Barclay's *Euphormio*, concerning which he has commissioned me to make several enquiries. Another person of the like learning and civility is Mr. *Graevius* (brother to the eminent critic in Holland) who has the care of the city library, and favoured me with the sight of it. These with many other particulars, that might be mentioned, are arguments of a rich and flourishing city; which is occasioned partly from the confluence of students to the university; and partly from the benefit of three celebrated fairs of fourteen days each, which are annually kept here, and furnished with merchandizes of all sorts, not only from the several parts of Germany, but likewise from Italy, Hungary, France, Holland, England, and other countries.

THE staple commodities of the town are the linen manufa-
cture, and a natural blue earth, which is dug only in some me-
tallic mines of Saxony, and which to the vast advantage of this
place is exported from hence to England, Holland, and elsewhere,
for the use of dying. As to the execution of justice, adultery is
here a capital crime, but in this case the criminal must be con-
victed by his own confession, to which they oblige him by force
of torture. The beauty of the city, which appears to a good ad-
vantage by day light, is however not lost in the night, by means
of their new lamps, which are ranged in an orderly manner, stand
very close to each other, and are kept with great neatness. The gar-
dens of the principal gentlemen, and merchants here resident, are
without the fortifications ; and being as well exceeding rich, as
beautified with great art, add a noble ornament to the place.

THE vniversity is in a flourishing state, and has a true taste
of polite literature, especially as to philosophical studics. Tho I
know not whether they merit that character with regard to clas-
sical learning. It is not now so numerous as formerly ; because
Hall, which within these ten years has been erected into an uni-
versity by the King of *Prussia*, depriving them of their numbers,
has reduced them perhaps from three to one thousand students.
They have six colleges, called *Paulinum*, *Petrinum*, *Majorum* and
Minorum Principum, *Rubrum*, and *B. Mariae Virginis*. Each of
these have their *praepositus*, and some few stipends. But when
we mention academical colleges abroad, we must fall much be-
low the idea of those, with which we are so happily acquainted at
Oxford and *Cambridge*. In these colleges are their auditories, or
schools, of public lectures for philosophy, and the three superior
faculties. These are regularly taught by their respective professors,
of which the university is furnished with six in divinity, five in
law, four in physic, and nine in philosophy, humanity, and hi-
story. Besides these, several of the more eminent doctors, and elder
students, have their private lectures, to which the younger resort
at their pleasure, and this with greater frequency and better suc-
cess, than to the lectures publicly established. The degrees in philo-
sophy are that of batchelor and master of arts ; in the faculties,
of licentiate and doctor. Persons of note in the university, whom
I visited, were Dr. *Efficke* professor of divinity ; and Dr. *Otto Menchennus* professor of moral philosophy, who is likewise the edi-
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tor of the *Acta Eruditorum*, of which I purchased an intire set from the year 1682 to this present time, consisting of twenty five volumes in quarto. Other eminent persons, with whom I had a more frequent conversation, were Dr. Goëtze, Dr. Menchenius junior, and Mr. Olearius junior. The two former are doctors of law, and the latter professor of humanity. To these I may add Mr. Thomas Fritsel bookseller, a person who has made an useful tour over Europe; speaks several modern languages, as well as Latin; and to whom I was obliged for a particular mark of courtesy, and the prefent of several useful books. Not only he, but the three gentlemen last mentioned speak good English, which language is much esteemed and studied in this place. Dr. Menchenius shewed me the little work of Alcyonius *De exilio*, which I was glad to fee, because it is said to have been compiled out of Cicero's treatise *De gloria*; which the plagiary for that reason took occasion to suppress. Dr. Goëtze among several fair manuscripts, and old editions of classic authors, shewed me a neat but antient satyr *On the Pope and Court of Rome*. It is a manuscript, as yet unprinted, in Elegiac verse, entitled *Eironia Gaufridi*. He has also a curious and fair manuscript of Columella, another of a Greek *Menologion*, a very old *Greek Testament*, printed in Spain, with the Latin in the margin; but exactly referring in every word by cautious notes from the known to the unknown language, lest the monks of that time should have taken γενέσεως to signify *liber*, and βίσιος *generationis*. In another old Spanish book, concerning the antiquities of that country, he shewed me a copy of the old Gothic character; in which it is observable, that the vowels are generally incorporated with the consonants, which they follow.

IN the two libraries of this place, the one belonging to the university, the other to the senate, I took notice of the following curiosities.

IN the former I observed two celebrated pictures of *Luther* and *Melancthon*, both taken after their death. Several specimens of what they called *moneta bracteata*, lately found in Saxony; but which I take to have been only leaves of silver covering a mass of inferior metal. An old manuscript of *Homer*, with large *Scholia*, which they here think have never been published. The draught of an old *idol* worshiped in Germany; the original of which was a short

a short brafs image of an human figure, hollow within, and contrived to make an artificial wind issue out of his mouth, like the globes of that sort now become so common.

IN the library of the senate I observed an Egyptian *mummy*. Several Roman *urns* and *funeral lamps*. Saxon *urns*, like others which I observed at Dresden and elsewhere, full of thin fragments of bones; in one of which were found several small iron and brass instruments, and upon a thin plate of brass the two following letters, W. E. A fine collection of coins. A good manuscript of *Theocritus*. A noble specimen of the rich silver mines in Saxony, in a mass about three feet long and two broad, the whole of which almost is pure metal.

ADJOINING to the *Collegium Paulinum* is the university church, where they have prayers on festival days. It is full of antient and modern monuments, all of good work. This university took its rise from the dispersion of the *Hussites*, and the banishment of *John Huss* himself from *Prague*. And by its first constitution it is appropriated to four nations; the *Misnians* (of whom *Leipsick* is the metropolis) the other hereditary countries of the Elector of *Saxony*, the *Bavarians*, and the *Poles*. The chief magistrate annually elected here is called *rector magnificus*, as in other German universities; and in him, with his subordinate officers, rests the sole government and jurisdiction of this learned body. The present *rector* is Dr. *Cyprianus*, professor of divinity.

IT was in *Leipsick*, that I first observed the Lutheran manner of communicating. The priest and the deacon, who assists him, are habited in surplices, copes, and sleeves, like those of the Greeks and Romanists. The service is chanted by the priests standing, and the people round about at a distance, but in the same posture. The consecration being ended, the communicants draw near, and on the north side of the altar approach the priest, who delivers into the mouth of each of them still standing the consecrated wafer. The communicants from thence walk round the back part of the altar, and so come to the deacon, from whom they likewise standing receive the cup, and thence return orderly to their proper places. In the mean time, while the species are delivered by the priest on one side and the deacon on the other, two choristers habited likewise in copes and surplices attend each, holding under them a rich pall of velvet, or other stuff, to receive any particle

ticle of the elements, which may fall accidentally. This done, they likewise chant a thanksgiving service in a standing posture, and so depart. The ecclesiastics of the place wear large white ruffs, not only in time of divine service, but likewise as their ordinary habit when in public ; and with this a round cloth cap, like that lately allotted to the commoners in the university of *Oxford*.

THESE are the principal observations I had leisure to make at *Leipsick*, where his Excellency staid from the sixth to the fourteenth of this month. On this day therefore we proceed on our journey five German miles to *Hall* over an open arable country. This is an antient city, founded and perfected by the several *Othos*, Emperors of Germany. It is now large, but meanly built, tho famous for its salt pits, from whence it has the name of *Hall*. In these they work night and day with an uninterrupted diligence, nor ever cease, but in the time of divine service on Sundays. It is situated on the river *Sala*, which name corresponds with that of the city.

THE King of *Prussia*, as has been said, Sovereign of the place, opened an university here some years since, which at present flourishes with about a thousand students, and several professors of eminent note, among these are *Strychius*, *Thomasius*, and *Franckius*. The last is the person, who sent me formerly into Turkey several little tracts of his own composition, which had been translated into Latin and Italian, in order to be distributed here. I therefore visited him this evening, and discoursed with him upon his famous project of an ample charity ; by which he maintains above six hundred children of both sexes, and that by no other fund, than collections gathered by his own industry. Three hundred of these, being boys, he has reduced to a college, which he now calls the *Orphanotrophium*. It is an handsome building, well contrived for the reception of so many poor orphans, for their diet, lodging, schooling, clothing, and afterwards their removal to some proper calling. He has here a printing house for the use of the society, and from thence have now been published several treatises, of which he presented me with two, concerning the *Jewish* history, and the ecclesiastical government of *Bohemia*. The King of *Prussia*, who is thought the principal supporter of this great charity, has lately authorized the *Orphanotrophium* under an ample patent, and allowed both the society, and the founder of it, several honou-

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rable and advantageous privileges. By this great undertaking Mr. Franck proposes to lay a scheme and foundation for the reformation of manners, and better advancement of learning at the same time. But as he is one of the primary *Pietists* in all Germany, the opposite party among the Lutherans in these parts, who in distinction call themselves the *Orthodox*, cease not to ealuminate both him and his design. Tho how justly, God only knows. He delivcrcd me a packet for Mr. *Ludolf*, and commissioned me to salute Dr. *Bray*, and Mr. *Woodward* of *Stepney*, with whom he corresponds in relation to this intended reformation.

DECEMBER XV.

FROM *Hall* we now pass to *Koendersn*, and by the way cross the *Sala* in a ferry boat at *Aylenber*, leaving *Eisleben*, the birth place of *Luther*, a little on the right hand. The day following we continue our journey from *Koendersn* to *Ayberfleben*, leaving *Paidleburg* in sight on the left hand. And the next day we move forward to *Halberstadt*, passing from *Upper* into *Lower Saxony* in this day's journey. *Halberstadt* is a large town, subject to the King of *Prussia*, having about fourteen churches, which are pretty equally divided betwixt Protestants and Papists.

DECEMBER xviii.

THIS day we leave *Halberstadt* and proceed to *Hessen*, a small village belonging to *Rodolphus Augustus*, Duke of *Brunswick*; who has here an old moted house, with a pleasant garden, and a fountain of brass work, which for the variety of animals there artfully represented, and the device of the whole, deserves to be remarked. We continue here the two following days, and then set out for *Wolfembutel*, where we arrive at night, and lodge in the suburbs.

DECEMBER xxii.

His Excellency departed this morning from *Wolfembutel* with a dsign to go directly to *Hildesheim*; upon whieh I desire leave to take a different road, in order to see *Brunswick*, *Hanover*, and *Hamburg*. However I spent this day at *Wolfembutel*, in observing what was curios there.

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THE town is pleasantly seated on the river *Ocker*, in a place not so intirely level as the other parts of *Lower Saxony*, but enjoying a variety of rising and declining ground, with a convenient mixture of woods, which hitherto we observed to be intirely wanting from *Leipsick* to this place. The city is compactly built, has fair and large streets, tho no very stately edifices, and is well fortified with a regular wall, and a double foss. It has two remarkable churches, one of which is the cathedral, an old Gothic building, adorned with a variety of sculpture and statues; and the other is a new church, lately erected by the present Duke of this place, in a peculiar form. It has an ascent at the front by a handsome staircase on two sides, and then opens into a perfect oval, which is supported by six stately pillars, and covered with a cupola. Directly facing the door is a piece of good work in sculpture, representing the *Virgin*, and other religious figures; and under this in a small orbicular desk, which appears as an ornament of the work, is seen the pulpit. Underneath is a table of wood, set so distinct from the wall, that it cannot properly be called an altar, and at each end are two high steps for the kneeling of the communicants. For the Lutherans, who in some places communicate standing, do the same in others kneeling; and the notion of an altar, with the posture of receiving, are in their opinion things indifferent. The castle of this place (which alone is properly *Wolfenbutel*) is just without the wall of the city, and is the residence of the Duke. He has here an academy for the use of young gentlemen of all nations, where they are instructed in the arts of fencing, riding, dancing, and other exercises. But what is most remarkable, in the precincts of the castle is the celebrated library, founded by *Christianus Augustus*, the father of this Prince. It consists of two large and spacious galleries, ranged all round with books, and filled in the middle with a double row of desks, which in the inner gallery likewise contain shelves for books of lesser volumes. It was collected with great assiduity, and at a vast expence, by the said Prince; who himself employed his pains intirely in this design, and wrote the several catalogues digested in various orders, and consisting of eight volumes in *folio*, with his own hand. The present librarian is the famous Mr. *Leibnitz*, who at this time did not reside upon the place; but an assistant of his shewed the library, and observed to me the following curiosities. A collection of printed *Bibles*, the largest and most curious, which are

are any where to be found. A large manuscript *English Bible* in *folio*, which seems very antient and begins thus: *In the erfe made God of nought the hevens and the ery, and the ery sorsooth was vein and veyd, and darknesses weren upon the face of the zee.* At the bottom of the first page is wrote *Lumley* in later characters. A manuscript *Greek Testament*; and two printed copies, one of *Aldus* and the other at *Hagena*, in which is wanting that famous testimony of *St. John* concerning the three, that bear witnes in heaven. An antient manuscript of *St. Jerome's Bible*, written about four hundred years since, by one who subscribes himself *Abbas Ganfridus Vitulus*; and at the end of the same has delineated himself, with the head of a *calf*. A manuscript *Aethiopic Testament*, given by father *Kircher* to the founder of the library. A copy of the *Psalms*, written in those characters, which are called *Ciceroniani* and *Cyprianici*. A voluminous collection of modern *Histories*, in four hundred manuscript volumes in *folio*; among which are thirteen called *Chroniques d' Angleterre*. The whole number cost the Duke two thousand four hundred crowns; but it is thought, he purchased them much to dear. A fair turning desk with fix leaves, like that before described in the Praemonstratenian library at *Prague*. A fair *Herbal*, with each flower delineated in its proper colours. A roll of the *Pentateuch*, and a *vail* now used by the Jews in reading the *Law*. Several reliques of *Luther*, as his spoon, drinking glafs, leaden inkbottle, and a *Letter* in his own hand to one of his eontemporary bishops, in which he sends the salutes of his wife in these words: *Salutat te, Dominus meus, Ketha reverenter.* Two books written by Prince *Christian* himself, founder of the library: one *De Indo scacchia*, in the German language; the other in *folio*, called *Cryptographia*, treating of cyphers and other secret devices, in the title of which he calls himself *Gustavus Selenus*, meaning *Augustus Luneburgicus*. A fair edition of the *vulgate Latin Bible* by *Aldus* at *Venice*, which reads in *Genesis* iii. 15, *Ipsum conteret caput tuum*, instead of the usual *ipsa*.

THE present Duke *Antonius Ulricus*, and his brother *Rudolphus Augustus*, who resides at *Brunswick*, have the title of *Brunswick* and *Linenburg* in common with their eldest brother the Duke of *Zell*, and their nephew the Duke of *Hanover*. But their proper government is the territory of *Brunswick* and *Wolfembittel*, which they govern by joint name and authority, both being equally sovereign

sovereign in each. *Rudolphus* is about fevnty two years of age, plain and unaffected in his carriage, insomuch that fometimes he takes a private journey to *Hamburg*, where he walks the streets in the disguise of a country gentleman. But *Antonius* is a more polite and accomplished prince, affecting the Frnch behaviour and education; for which end he here maintains the academy above mentioned. He is courtly, and condefcnding, and greatly belovcd by his subjects. He is now about sixty three years of age, and has two sons ; of which he, who shall live to be his heir, will jointly inherit the authority and dominions both of his father and uncle *Rudolphus*.

DECEMBER XXIII.

THIS morning I take the post waggon for *Brunswick*, which is seated on the fame river as *Wolfembutel*, in a watry plain, having a large extent, but narrow streets, and houses of the old fashion almost intirly of wood, most of which have a date over the door of thrce or four hundred years standing. The stadthoufe is of the same or greater antiquity, and adorned with a variety of statuеs on the outside. The town is fortified, but ncither with great regularity nor strength. The castle is the residence of the Duke, being an old decayed building. I staid here from nine in the morning till three in the afternoon, where I found the mum, for which this place is so celebrated, not so good, as that they export for sale. It is made only of malt well brewcd, and the liquor boiled a seconf time in an equal quantity of the fame. However the art is peculiar to this place, and cannot be imitated at *Wolfembutel*, tho it is so very near. Nor, on the other hand, can the excellent beer of *Wolfembutel* bc equal'd here. They are likewise famous for a large fort of faufage, which is made of raw meat and fpices.

AT three a clock I depart for *Hanover* by the way of *Peine*, with an intention, as is here the custom, to travel all night. In the way betwixt feven and eight a clock (which at this time of the year had been entirely dark, unles for the benefit of the moon) the post horfes tired in an open fcild, and refused to stir a step farther; by which means we were detained above an hour, till the postilion procured others from a neighbouring village. I was then in company of an Italian man and a French woman, whose

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company somewhat relieved the affliction of this accident. By twelve a clock we reach *Peine*, and after half an hour's refreshment the Italian and I proceed for *Hanover*, thro a wide and watry common.

DECEMBER XXIV.

By eight a clock this morning I arrive at *Hanover*, where I wait on Mr. *Cresset*, and his chaplain Mr. *Lombard*. And being invited by the former to dinner, we no sooner rise from table, but news was brought, that my Lord *Paget*, having changed his mind, had turned out of the road for *Heldesheim* to this place; to whom therefore I repair at his lodgings without the gate of the city.

DECEMBER XXV.

THO this was *Christmas* day, his Excellency had nevertheless no service in his family. And the day following I made a visit to Mr. *Scott*, Sir *Chumley Deering*, Mr. *Wright*, and some others. The next day being Sunday, his Excellency had service in his family. At five a clock in the evening I was introduced by Mr. *Scott*, and lady *Belmont*, to kiss the hand of the Princess Dowager *Sophia*, who did me the honour to discourse with me half an hour about the state of Turkey. The same night a tragedy was acted at the theatre of the court, and afterwards the *Mariage forcé* of *Moliere*; which I then saw, for the opportunity of seeing at the same time the Prince Elector, the Prince his son, and the Princess his daughter, with the Electress Dowager, who were all present.

DECEMBER XXVIII.

HIS Excellency proceeds in his way to *Osnaburg*; but I continue still at *Hanover*, with an intention to take post for *Hamburg*, and dine this day with Mr. *Cresset*. The day following in the afternoon I visit the library and cabinet of Abbot *Gerhardus*, otherwise called *Molanus*. His cabinet consists of a vast collection of modern coins, particularly those of Germany, among which he has entire sets of the houses of *Brunswick* and *Saxony*. He has likewise a rich and numerous collection of medals of all the European kingdoms, stamp'd upon the most celebrated occasions; and many of them are gold, some of which weigh an hundred

dred ducats, and others but little less. Those of *Sweden* seemed to me the noblest both for the work and device, particularly one of *Gustavus Adolphus*, upon marching his army over the frozen *Baltick*, with this inscription: NATURA HOC DEBVIT VNI. Another of *Charles* the eleventh, with the reverse of the *North Star*, and inscribed: NESCVT OCCASVM. Those of the house of *Hanover* are likewise curious, particularly one of the Princess Dowager, stamp'd by her about fourteen years since; the reverse a *sun* setting without a cloud, and the words: Senza turbarmi al fin m' accosto. Another of the young Prince *George Augustus*, the reverse a *fountain* springing up in a strong perpendicular column of water, with this legend: VIS INSITA DVCIT IN ALTVM. Besides these he has a good collection of antient medals; the most remarkable of which were *Julianus* the first; and *Antinous* of the first size, if genuine, the reverse a *sheep*.

By eleven a clock this night I depart in the post waggon for *Zell*, and in the way make these observations on *Hanover*, and the persons I saw there. The town is moderately large, fair, and compact, seated on the *Leine*, and reasonably well fortified. The palace of the Prince is old, and mean in outward appearance, but within beautiful and splendid. The clergy here is but incly esteem'd, and more meanly provided for; except that Abbot *Gerhardus* has an income (the sole remainder of church lands not sequestered) to the yearly value of eight hundred pounds sterl. By this preferment he is superintendant of the whole clergy in the territories of the Duke of *Brunswick Hanover*, and is by the same incapable of marrying. The Elector is a sage, discreet, just, and sober Prince. The Princefs his mother is courteous, affable, condescending, and prudent; well versed in the Dutch, English, French, and Italian languages; and gay and vigorous to a mirracle at the age of seventy two. The young Prince is brisk, affable, and ingenious. The Princefs, daughter to the Elector, comely, ingenious, lively, and her courteous behaviour charms all, who converse with her. Mr. *Cresset*, who has long resided as Envoy to this court, and those of *Zell*, *Brunswick*, and *Wolfembutel*, is a wise and pious gentleman, has a family well governed, and lives much to the honour of himself and his country.

DECEMBER XXX.

By seven a clock this morning I arrive at *Zell*, where I remain the rest of the day, and take that opportunity of seeing the castle; as likewise the venerable old Duke, *William George*, now eighty years of age; to whom I was admitted by the favour of Mr. *Robbeton* and Mr. *De la Forest*, two gentlemen who here shewed me great civility.

DECEMBER XXXI.

I SET forward from *Zell*, and lodge this night at a post house, in a small village called *Sorndorf*. The country is here pleasant, with a variety of fir, oak, and other wood, but for the most part barren, and overrun, with heath.

JANUARY i.

FROM *Sorndorf* I reach *Harburg* by twelve a clock this day, dine there, and then take boat for *Hamburg* cross the *Elbe*. The river is here above a German mile broad, and interspersed with various islands. In the evening I delivered Mr. *Crefeffi's* recommendations to Mr. *Aldersey*, who thereupon received me courteously, and procured me a good lodging from Mr. *Townly* in the English house. I was detained here to the twenty eighth of this month, partly by the extremity of the frost, which had made the *Elbe* now unpassable; and partly by the kindness of our English merchants, who reside in this place.

HAMBURG is a free imperial city, chief of the *Hanse* towns, and seated on the north side of the *Elbe*, where it receives the *Alster*. The figure of it is semicircular, being almost straight towards the *Elbe*, which it receives by many chanels into the very heart of the city. Some of these chanels serve as harbours to the ships, others to convey goods to the magazines of merchants, and others to bring water to the houses, particularly of the brewers, who have cranes to draw water into their vessels. It is about two Italian miles in length, and above five in circumference. The streets are well paved, tho narrow, and the houses beautiful in the front, especially in the *Wantrum*, the *Green*, and *Catherine* street. The fortifications are substantial, consisting intirely of ramparts of earth,

earth, covered with grass, and not faced with brick. They are constantly maintained in good repair; tho it is commonly objected to them, that the inward works are too high, so that being raised too much above the outward, they are exposed to the first attack of the enemy. There are six gates, all beautiful and stately buildings; that particularly, which is called the gate of *Altena*, because it leads to that place, is said to have cost an hundred thousand crowns. The strength of the city was lately tried, in the year 1686 (If I mistake not) by the King of *Denmark*, who then laid siege to it, tho without success. He had depended upon the treachery of two principal burgers, who had promised to admit him into the town; but their treason being accidentally detected, and they put to the torture, the matter was soon confessed, and they deservedly executed. The head of one of them is still exposed on an iron spike over the *Steingate*. In confidence of this concerted treachery that Prince came so unprovided, that he could invest no more of the town, than that which faces *Altena* which gave occasion to the Holland gazeteer to say, that the King of *Denmark* had besieged the eighth part of *Hamburg*. During the siege he was baffled even by the small castle, called *Sternfort*, about a mile distant from the town; which by a line of communication they relieved every day at twelve a clock, and so maintained it against the enemy. To add to the strength of the city they are now building a new detached work, consisting of an entire rampart, to be continued from the east side of the *Aller* to the *Elbe*, which is a noble fortification, and will at the same time guard and enlarge the space of the city. It is divided into the *New* and the *Old City*, the former of which is the more stately and beautiful of the two.

THE religion of this place is Lutheran, in which the government is so strict, as to admit of no other religious assembly, except that of the church of England, which is allowed to the English company. The city is divided into five parishes, that of *St. Catharine*, *St. Peter*, *St. James*, *St. Nicholas*, and *St. John*. To each of these are dedicated so many fair and spacious churches, all well adorned with sculptures, paintings, organs, and altars. That of *St. Catharine* exceeds the rest, and is particularly remarkable for a noble stone pulpit, the whole consisting of the best marble, carved into the figures of the twelve *Apostles*, and other religious devices; for several large inimitable pieces of painting in *freco* R r against

against the north wall; and for a stately organ, supposed to be the largest and finest in the world. It has fifty four stops, and consists of five thousand pipes, all gradually proportioned from the biggest, which is three fourths of an English yard in diameter, to the least, no larger than the last joint of ones little finger. In the same church is admirably well painted the *Temple of Solomon* in perspective. Besides these parish churches, there is the cathedral, commonly there called the *Dome*; and a new church in the middle of the *New City*. The *Dome* is now almost out of use, except for some occasional sermons; and the porch, with the several isles, are possessed by bookellers shops: tho this is what is likewise common to the porches, and other outward apartments, of the most frequented churches. The five parish churches, and that of the *New City*, have each of them their pastor, and besides him two or three chaplains; so that the number of clergymen here amounts to above twenty, of which one is superintendant over them, and the clergy of the whole territory. This however is very small, as not reaching down the river *Elbe* farther than the limits of *Altena*, a large town within half a mile of *Hamburg*, belonging to the King of Denmark. On the other sides it is encompassed with the dominions of the Duke of *Holstein*, at the distance of two or three miles; only up the *Elbe* it has a narrow tract of ground subject to the city, for the space of twenty miles, in which are some small villages, that acknowledge its jurisdiction. The church lands belonging to the cathedral are now possessed by burgers, or others of the city; but under the same titles, by which they formerly belonged to the church, as *dean*, *canons*, and others. Which sequestration, as it seems to be a sacrilegious usurpation; so their continuing the right under the same titles, is only a monument and confession of the crime.

THE government of the city is by a free and sovereign jurisdiction of their own, which is lodged in three orders of men, the burgomasters, the senate, and the burgers. The burgomasters are four persons chosen out of the senate, of which two are yearly regent. The senate consists of about twenty, chosen as vacancies happen out of the burgers. The burgers compose the whole body of the citizens, ranked under their five distinct parishes. This government somewhat resembles that of antient *Rome*, by consuls, senate, and people; and is excellent in itself, but very liable to be perverted by the prevalency of any of the parts, of which

which it consists. This is at present seen in the case of *Hamburg*, where the burgers by reason of their multitude, and the seditious spirit of inferior persons, have so far usurped the power of the place, that they terrify the senate, and stop all public proceedings, which are not to their relish. Particularly they are now so obstinate, as to refuse their consent to the supply towards the war, required by the Emperor, and to other public levies of the city, till they can extort the consent of the senate for restoring one Dr. *Meyer* to his pastoral office of *St. James*. This is a violent seditious man, suspected of an ill life, but of a ready overbearing eloquence in the pulpit; who about five years since had quitted his pastoral office in *Hamburg*, for another like charge, and superintendancy in *Pomerania*. His parishioners now recall him to his cure at *Hamburg*, which he publicly declines; but privately encourages, and thereby occasions a lamentable faction and sedition in the town. His own and two other parishes press his return, and refuse to treat of other business, till the senate shall consent thereto. But they being duly cautious of admitting so dangerous a person into the city, who is now more particularly suspected of intriguing against them in dependance on the King of Sweden, will never admit thereof; especially as he insists upon returning in his own rank, and in prospect of the same seniority, he before obtained in the place.

THE burgomasters of this place never appear in public, but in a peculiar dress; which consists of an high crowned hat made of cloth, plated thick and strong in numerous folds; with a large ruff; and a black velvet coat ending at the knees, and plaited from the middle. There are likewise several other ancient habits used by all public persons, even to midwives, dressers of the dead, and those who bear the corps to funerals. The habit of their divines is a round black cap, a ruff, and a gown without sleeves. All these may commonly be seen at once in the solemnity of a funeral, which they here affect to make very pompous for all persons, even those of little children. The burgomasters, senators, divines, lawyers, physicians, and as many of all sorts, as they can procure, attend the corps from the house to the church; for which they are each paid a certain fee, the chief about a florin, and inferiors proportionably. It is observable, that the bearers of the corps have a peculiar step, all moving their leg at the same time croswise from one side to the other.

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This city wholly subsists by trade, which it still enjoys to a great degree. But they now complain, that they begin to be robbed of their former flourishing commerce by *Lubeck* and *Bremen*, and even the poor town of *Alena*, which with regret they see rising under their walls. Here is the staple of linen from Germany; cloth from England; and wines from Spain, France, and the Rhine. Of this last the city preserves a vast stock in public cellars; the largest of which, being a magazine of *Rhenish* wine, I visited one evening, and was there assured, that they have the wine of every year since 1623; and accordingly we then drank of three sorts, 1623, 1664, and 1678. At the same time I tried the perfect clearness of the loaf sugar of this place; which they purify to such a degree, that it does not discolour the clearest *Rhenish* wine.

THE English company, which upon the decay of *Antwerp* removed to this place, is a regular, gentle, and hospitable society of merchants. They were here granted large privileges, which they still enjoy; tho at home our English parliament has lately infringed those, which they had permitted them. Their goods from England are imported free of custom, except that they pay a trifle as an acknowledgement. Their own jurisdiction, and religion, is freely granted them. The town first presented them with a large piece of building, which they obliged themselves to keep in perpetual repair. In this there is a public chapel; and an apartment, which they call the *Ordinary room*, where all the company, who are unmarried, dine and sup at one table, and the deputy governor and assistants meet upon public occasions. Adjoining to it is the house of the deputy governor, the minister, and the secretary; all likewise given by the town, and maintained by them. The governor of this company at present resides in England; but the other officers, as the deputy governor, secretary, and assistants, to the number of twenty four, are all resident upon the place, and dispatch all business relating to the society; which is contrary to the custom of the Turkey company, the governing part whereof always resides in England. The deputy governor and secretary are chosen, or confirmed, either quarterly or yearly; and the same is practised with the minister, whose salary, besides the benefit of an house, is two hundred pounds a year. The number of merchants, assistants, and others, may here amount from thirty to forty persons; and with their wives, children, and servants, their congregation

(which is very regular) is seen on Sunday from an hundred and fifty to two hundred persons. My conversation during my stay at *Hamburg* was chiefly among these; and I had more particularly the friendship of Mr. Free, deputy governor; Mr. Aldersey, secretary; Mr. Emerson, minister; Mr. Stratford, Manning, Lethieullier, and Remington merchants; and their respective families. I preached every Sunday, while I continued here; and received many tokens of favour from the whole company; particularly on the sixteenth of January, a present of a silver tankard, value forty crowns. At the same time I had the honour of being known to Mr. Wyat, her Majesty's resident at this place, and deputed likewise to the *Hanse* towns of *Bremen* and *Lubeck*.

THERE is a good and well furnished library belonging to this city, which adjoins to the church of *St. John*. And during my stay here I had the opportunity of conversing with *Jo. Albertus Fabricius*, a person of great learning, and famous for some works he has already published. I visited likewise *Mynbēer Langerman*, a druggist, who shewed me some curious *ores*; and pieces of eight, fished up from a Spanish wreck; with the *piedra de puerco*, about the size of a large nutmeg, which is found in the bladder of some hogs in the *Philippine* islands, a great sudorific, and esteemed a sovereign remedy against intermitting fevers. One stone is usually valued at a hundred ducats.

THE night I visited the wine cellar at Mr. Manning's house, we saw a man, named *George Po*, born at *Prague*, who eat raw flesh, glas, paper, and above all things raw flax and tow, which he devoured very greedily, and called it his chief delicacy. He likewise swallows large stones, and accustoms himself to devour all unnatural substances, even perukes; tho of this last he is now somewhat cautious, since his twin brother died by eating one at *Halberstadt*. A senator's wife of this city maintains an opera house, where they have a prodigious large stage, and great variety of well painted scenes. Here Mr. Lethieullier one night entertained us to our great satisfaction. At the same place, and belonging to the same woman, is shewn the famous model of *Solomon's Temple*, being the exact resemblance of that fabric, as described by the best authors, expressed in every part by carved wood work to the height of an English yard, and all the inward apartments perfectly exhibited to the eye, as the workman takes it to pieces for the satisfaction

tisfaction of the spectators. This ingenious machine cost no less than ten thousand dollars.

THE inhabitants of *Hamburg* are censured as proud, formal, and ceremonious; the magistrates as addicted to vice, libertinism, and self interest; and the people as turbulent, and seditious; whence many prognosticate ill to the trade, and future power of the city. The language, which they here speak, is called the *Plat Dutch*, being a medium betwixt that of Germany and Holland.

DURING my stay here, I was informed of a detestable practice, frequent among many melancholy and disordered persons of this place; who being weary of life, and apprehensive of the sin of self murder, rather choose to murder some innocent child, and by that means to be brought to capital punishment, by which they attain their desire of death, with the advantage, as they imagine, of a previous time for repentance, without the guilt of their own hand. At the same time they esteem the child, whom they choose to sacrifice, to be without any guilt of conscience, as having not yet arrived to years of discretion¹. This tragedy happens every year, as many experienced witnesses among our merchants assured me; and they attribute the frequency of the practice to the great facility of their confessors, in affording peace and fair promises to all sorts of dying penitents.

ANOTHER tragedy lately acted at *Hamburg* was of a monstrous virago, born in the dukedom of *Zell*, who by an unnatural disposition of her uterine parts was capable of acting the part of a man; and accordingly she made it her practice in rambling from place to place to marry at each a young woman, several of whom she had murdered. With her last spouse, whom she had let into all her mysterious impurity, she murdered one of her former wives; as likewise a man, whom they had cajoled for sometime into their company, and whose head they afterwards hoisted for venefical uses, as they pretended. But being caught and tortured, they confessed this black history of their life, and were executed here about a year since.

THE campain about the neighbourhood of *Hamburg* is green, and well distinguished with wood and shade; but at a farther

¹ See an instance of this in *Sweden*, reported in the *Huetiana*, p. 124. N. LIV.
distance,

distance, like other parts of *Lower Saxony*, it is a dull and unfruitful heath. The immediate circuit of the walls affords delicious walks, all kept in good repair, and adorned on each side with rows of trees, kept in a beautiful order. Sometime after we had received the account of the capture of the Spanish galleons at *Vigo*, happening to have a leisure hour, I amused myself in writing the following short poem upon that agreeable subject.

*Erit altera, quae vebat Argo
Deleatos heroas.* Virg. Ecl. iv. §. 34.

*Hacenus Argos cecinisti, Graecia, nautas,
Et rufis aethereo pinus in axe micat ;
Altera Britannas nunc implet Iberia puppes,
Terraque Phrixeam Cantabra mutit ovem.
Alter es Aeëtes, Lodoix, vincusque sopore
Aeterno serpens Gallica classis erit.
Aesoniden, Ormonde, refers ; et forte puella,
Quae tibi Medeam praefet, Ibera fuit.
At quantum Argolicae praeluxerit Angla juvenae,
Sit memor aeterno carmine fama loqui.
Unica tunc unam decoravit praeda carinam ;
Millia nunc referunt vellera mille rates.
Anna, parens orbis, preiosam carpere lanam
Incipe, et augusta fila novare manu ;
Protinus optato flaveſcent faecla metallo,
Et fluet e fusis aurea vita tuis.*

JANUARY XXVIII.

RESOLVING at last to take leave of my good friends at *Hamburg*, *Mynbœr Platia*, with two other merchants, and myself, hire a post waggon for *Holland*. We set forward by seven a clock in the morning, and continue our way two German miles up the river, by the village of *Offensey* to *Blankeness*; there we cross the *Elbe*, and proceed to a town called *Bruxtchude* in the dominion of *Sweden*, and by night arrive at a poor house in the wood called *Arnswoldt*. Here we drive in with our waggon, and alight at the same room, which was to receive us and our horses, and be at the same time our chamber and parlour, and the kitchin of our old landlady,

landlady, who was smoked like a ham of bacon. We found her with her household, brooding over a fire hearth in the middle of this apartment, common to her self and cattle. Over which there was no chimney, but a wooden rack well stored with bacon, where the smoke was employed to prepare the provision of the year, without wasting itself at the funnel of a chimney. We are laid on a large heap of straw¹, whilst the cows are chewing the cud on each side, and lulling us to sleep. It was here I first saw the black bread of this country, called *bonpournickel*; and was told, that this with plenty of swines flesh, and the thick water of this flat country, were the only dainties of the place. However, it was our good fortune not to be reduced to that diet; for we fared well on our hamper, which we brought with us from *Hamburg*.

JANUARY XXIX.

LEAVING this disagreeable place very early, we arrive at the gates of *Bremen* late at night, and are therefore obliged to lodge in the suburbs, till we could enter the town the next morning. It is a large and fair city, free of the empire, and one of the most considerable *Hanse* towns, seated on the *Weser*, or *Visurgis*. Here we baited at the wine cellar over against the Exchange, where there is a magazine of good *Rhenish*, inferior in nothing but the quantity of vessels, and largeness of the stock, to that of *Hamburg*. We then proceed by nine a clock (after I had visited Mr. Willet, an English merchant) and on the farther side of the town cross the river under a noble gate, which in an inscription calls this *VETVSTISSIMVS VISVRGIS TRAIECTVS*. The *Weser* is here fair, wide, and almost straight, affording a reception for the vessels belonging to the town; but those of a greater burthen are obliged to remain some leagues lower. At this river we now leave *Lower Saxony*, and enter the circle of *Westphalia*. In an hour and a half we come to *Delmenhorst*, an old town and castle belonging to the King of *Denmark*. From thence we proceed to *Wildeshausen*, a town in the dominion of the Elector of *Hanover*, where we lodge.

¹ Ovid. Fast. I. i. §. 205.
Nec pudor in stipula placidam cepisse quietem,

Et foenum capiti supposuisse, fuit.

JANUARY XXXI.

WE go on this day to *Klopperburg*, a town of the *Lower Bishoprick of Munster*; from whence in a little time we reach the banks of the *Hase*, and in a few hours more the town thence called *Haselun*, where we take up our lodging that night.

FEBRUARY i.

WE had hitherto found *Westphalia* a desolate and wild country, overrun with heath, except here and there adorned with small groves of stately oak, in the middle of which we commonly found a single farm house, enclosed with rude pales like a park, which in summer time must be truly pleasant. In several places by the road side are seen posts, with iron boxes on the top, for the receipt of charity, as if the land it self confessed its poverty. However in this day's journey the appearance began to alter, for about ten a cloek we arrived at *Lingen*, a pretty compact and well built town, which lately belonged to King *William*, but now to the King of *Prussia*. The neighbourhood is well stored with woods; the skirts of the town adorned with frequent gardens, and alleys of trees orderly planted; and the whole place by a show of riches and beauty confessing, as it were, the benefit of a moderate and protestant government.

JUST beyond the limits of this town we cross the *Ems*, or *Anasia*, by a ferry boat, and afterwards continue our journey to *Northern*, the first town of the *United Provinces*, in the limits of which we now pass out of *Westphalia* into *Overijssel*. After a short bait we proceed to *Omarsh*, and there lodge. This is the first place, since I left *Hamburg*, where I was offered a bed, having hitherto slept in my cloaths upon the straw.

FEBRUARY ii.

WE now proceed by the way of *Almeloo*, and so to *Deventer*, over the plains, where his late Majesty delighted sometimes to hunt. These plains are covered with heath, and therefore afford not so good riding; but at the same time they are enclosed within long tracts of hills rising gently, which give the sportsman a convenient sight of the chase.

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FEBRUARY iii.

WE stop this day at *Deventer*, and put up at a public inn, where we dine with some Danish officers ; and after dinner I pay a visit to the learned *Gisbertus Cuperus*, who entertained me very obligingly, shewed me his library, coins, inscriptions, and other curiosities. In his library were several large volumes of letters, written by him in the name of the states, or on other public occasions : Among his coins was one with the title of *IMP. VNICVS*. And among his inscriptions this which follows :

MACVSANO HERCVLI SACRVM
FLAVIVS SVMMVS MAGISTRATVS

He seemed to think this was *Hercules of Mackshusen*, a town not far distant from hence. I continue the following day at *Deventer*, and from thence write to my friends at *Hamburg*.

FEBRUARY v.

FROM *Deventer* I now proceed in three hours to *Loo*, where I was entertained for some hours in viewing the house and gardens of his late Majesty, and then go forward to a village called *Fortschansen*, where I take up my lodging. The next day I continue my journey to *Amersford*, where I dine, and by four a cloek reach *Utrecht*.

FEBRUARY vii.

THIS and the two following days I remain at *Utrecht*, where I now first visit, and contract a very agreeable acquaintance with Mr. *Paul Foley*, student of that university ; who the day after obliged me with his company in a *treck schuyt* to *Leyden*, where I view the physic garden, and adjoining galleries of natural rarities ; the academy, anatomy theatre, great church, and other curiosities of the place. And the next morning I take the like passage for *Rotterdam*.

FEBRUARY xii.

THIS day I went to the *Hague*, where at length I again met his Excellency ; having seen *Delft* and *Ryswick* in the way. At *Delft*

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Delft particularly I was entertained with a sight of the great church, and fine monument erected there in memory of *William the first, Prince of Orange.* And the next day I continue to attend his Excellency at the *Hague.*

FEBRUARY xiv.

THIS day, being Sunday, I depart from the *Hague*, with his Excellency, Mr. Paget, and Mr. Foley, in a *treckschuyt*, by the way of *Leyden*, for *Amsterdam*; where we put up at the *Oude Heeren logement*. And staying here the two following days, after paying a visit to Mr. *Marcus*, I amuse myself with viewing the magazine of the admiralty, the stadhous, and spinhouse; the hofpital of boys and girls, with that of old women; the rasphouse, and other public buildings.

FEBRUARY xviii.

I RETURN this day to *Leyden*, and there see Mr. *De la Faye*, brother of the English minister of that place; and with him visit *Jacobus Gronovius*, professor of eloquence and history, and at this time *rector magnificus*; from whom I receive a copy of *Mynbéer Coffon's* inscriptions, among which are some not published in the *Memoria Coffoniana*.

FEBRUARY xix.

We now leave *Leyden*, and go back to *Rotterdam*, where his Excellency is lodged at the *Doole* for about eight days, and then removes to *Winestreet*. During this time I become acquainted with Mr. Richard Davis on the *Heering vliet*, the chief promoter of the new episcopal English church, now building at the upper end of that *vliet*. I observe whatever is remarkable here, particularly the statue of *Erasmus*, and the house of his birth; and likewise pay a visit to *Mons. Bayle*.

MARCH vi.

I ATTEND his Excellency to the *Hague*, and the next day, being Sunday, I go to *Rotterdam*, there preach to the episcopal congregation, and return to the *Hague* that evening. The day following

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lowing I walk from thence to the *House* in the wood, which is a fine summer retirement, neatly built, and furnished with good painting, by *Frederic Henry, Prince of Orange.*

MARCH X.

I DEPART with Dr. *Timeni* for *Leyden*, where I now propofe a long stay. And here I contract an acquaintance with Mr. *Aenfville*, an ingenious and polite gentleman, master of a good library, and a curious collection of antiquities. With him also and Dr. *Timeni* I visit several of the professors, as *Gronovius*, *Perizonius*, and *Triglandius*; and see likewise the library, and especially the manuscripts of this university. Among other curiosities in the museum of Mr. *Aenfville*, I obſerved the following inscriptions, cut in marble tablets.

CONSIMILES FRATRV M TRABEAS GESTAMINA HONORVM
TERTIA QVAE DEERANT ADDIDIMVS TITVLIS.

THIS, which follows, is on a ſtone oppofite to the former.

DILECTAE PROBVS HAEC PERSOLVO MVNERA MATRI
RESTITVENS STATVIS PRAEMIA QVAE DEDERAT¹.

D.	M.
P. CAESIO EVTYCHETI	
FIL. B. M. Q. V. A. XXII. M. X. D. XXIV.	
H. III. FONTEIVS EVTYCHES	
ET LEPIDVS PARENTES D.	

.... RIO CVRATORI VIAE
.. ET ALIMENTORVM
.. I PVBLCAE AECIANENSIVM
.. RICVLANORVM
.. OVINCIAE ASIAE
.. ARIQ O. K. FLAMINI

COS. AQVARVM ET M;
ELECTO AD IVDICAND. SACR ..
RECTORI ITALIAE REG. IR
CVRATORI COLONIAR. SPL
LVGDVNENSIVM CAL
CALENORVM XIIIR ROM

¹ These two are published both in *Grut.* but each of them with ſome little variation.
pag. CCCLI. n. 5. and *Fleetwood, pag. 152.*

THIS, which follows, was on a gemm.

ΔΡΑΚΩΝ
ΘΕΑΓΕΝΟΥΣ
ΑΛΚΙΜΟΣ
ΤΟΞΟΤΗΣ
ΑΘΗΝΑ.

ON the opposite side was a bent bow, with a quiver and arrow, as likewise a serpent twining about the bow; and on the right side was engraven the word ΑΝΤΙΨΙΛΟΥ.

MARCH xvii.

I now desire my dismission from the family of his Excellency, and hire a lodging for myself. And such was his generosity, that two days afterwards he was pleased to send me the residue of my salary, with half as much more, as was then due, at the rate of eighty pounds a year.

MARCH xxvi.

I SEE the curious work in cut paper by a woman at Rotterdam. And three days afterwards going to Delft, I visit Mr. Leewenhoek, and see his microscopes, with many curious discoveries upon insects, and other minute animals. The same day I pass to the Hague, to gratify my curiosity in viewing such things, as before had escaped my observation.

MARCH xxx.

THE wind setting fair for England, I hasten to Rotterdam, to take leave of his Excellency, who embarked at two a clock. Here I purchase a large number of books, and other necessaries, to a considerable value.

APRIL ii.

I QUIT my lodgings at Rotterdam, and remove to the Hague. The day following I visit the church of Lausdone where I found this inscription under two brass basins: *Margareta, Hermanni Comitis Henebergae uxor, filia Gulielmi Caesaris, anno MCCLXXVI 365 enixa*
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est pueros etc. sicut in hac tabula ex vetustis tam manuscriptis, quam typis excisis, chronicis positum ac enarratum est. The same afternoon I pass on to *Honflardyke*, where I see the orangery four hundred and fifty yards long; the East India *buffalo*, male and female; the aviary, in which is a white peacock, the birds called *lepelars*, and variety of foreign ducks and geese; the stable of foreign beasts, among which is the *mamot* of East India (like a stag, but with twisted horns) and a *cassaware*; the gardens, in which are several beautiful statues, particularly one of a *gladiator*; the house consisting of one entire quadrangle within two good galleries, the Queen's japan cabinet, and the King's well furnished with curious paintings.

APRIL xvii.

I now return again to *Amsterdam*, by the way of *Gouda*, in company with Mr. *Vandeput*. Here we stop to observe the excellent painted glass in the several windows of that church; and then proceeding in our passage by the *treck schuyt* arrive at *Amsterdam* by six a clock next morning, and after dinner make a visit to Dr. *Cockburn*. The next day we are introduced by the Doctor to see Mr. *De Wild's* cabinet, richly furnished with coins, gems, sculptures, and statues. Among the rest of his curiosities he has an excellent piece, representing the *Massacre of the De Witts*, a good bras *Otho*, and a fine *Venus Anadyomene*. The day following the Doctor procured for us the like favour from Mr. *Vincent*, whose cabinet consists of a very numerous and well disposed collection of animals and shells.

APRIL xxii.

MR. *Cockburn*, son of the Doctor, Mr. *Vandeput*, and I, divert ourselves, by making a short excursion to *Sardam*, in *North Holland*, remarkable for the great number of windmills that surround it, and the large quantity of timber, which always lies there ready prepared for building of ships. We return in the evening to *Amsterdam*; and the next day I purchase of *Mynhéer Visscher* a set of *Geographical Charts*, both *Old* and *New*; and then visit *Mynhéer Uilenbroek*, a curious gentleman, possessed of a very large and well chosen library, as also a cabinet of coins and other rarities.

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APRIL xxiv.

I DEPART for *Harlem*, and there visit the learned *Antony Van Dale*, by profession a physician, in opinion an anabaptist. He entertained me very obligingly with a sight of the neat gardens, costly tulips, and other amusements of that place. In discoursing with him on divers subjects of learning, he seemed in some things oversceptical, questioning particularly the authority of the *Apocalypse*. I go the same night to *Leyden*, and from thence the next day to *Rotterdam*.

APRIL xxviii.

RETURNING again to *Harlem*, Mr. *Van Dale* carries me to visit *Mynb  er Koolaert*, a merchant, and father of a beautiful daughter, named *Hester*, about seventeen years of age, born deaf and consequently dumb; but taught to speak (tho not very articulately) by one Dr. *Amman*, who has published a book upon that art, of which the young lady gave me a copy in *Dutch*, and her father another in *Latin*. She asked me after Mr. *Rombouts* of *Constantinople*; and I answering he is dead, she discerned what I said by the motion of my lips. By the same means she can discourse at large with her mother even in the dark, by feeling her lips when speaking. She writes well, and paints curiously. And her mother is an excellent Latinist. The same day Mr. *Van Dale* shewed me a specimen of the first printing, kept in the town house of this place; and in the market place the inscription, asserting that invention to *Harlem*:

MEMORIAE SACRVM
TYPOGRAPHICA ARS ARTIVM OMNIVM CONSERVATRIX
HIC PRIMVM INVENTA A L. COSTERO HARLEMensi MCCCCXXIX.

The next day I leave *Harlem*, and return to *Amsterdam*.

MAY i.

THIS morning, with Dr. *Cockburn* and Mr. *Vandeput*, I visit the learned Mr. *le Clerc*. He shewed me the *Thesaurus linguae Latinae* of Rob. *Stephanus*, improved by manuscript notes of the author's own hand; as also *Irenaeus*, *Lib. v. cap. 2.* concerning the presence in the sacrament; and complained of Mr. *Grabe*, as misrepresenting the

the church of England in his notes. In the afternoon, in company with Mr. *Vandeput*, I review the cabinet of *Mynb  er Uilenbroek*; and by his leave copy the two following sepulchral inscriptions, one in Latin, and the other in Greek, the former of which is peculiarly remarkable for the corruption of the language.

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MISEROS. BIBERE. PARENTES.
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SAEPELITAM. VNO. DOLOREM.
QVOD. IAM. PROPE. NYPPVTM. MYSERAЕ.
D  FVNCTAE. SVNT. AMBAE. SET.
QVI. DOLOR. ABS. TE. NOBIS. HARMO
NIA. RVFA. RELICTVM. EST. VT. ANNI
S. XIII. M. VI. D. XXVI. NOBISCVM. AD
VIXERIS. VNA. ET. NOS. OPTAMVS.
AD. VOS. PROPERARE. PARENTES.
EGO. PATER. HARMONIVS. JANVA
RIVS. CVM. BESTA. MATREM.
QVAE GEMVIT. VIBET. ET. DOLET. CLO
DIA. TROPHIME. NEC. DVBITA
MVR. ENIM. VITA. CARERE. MO

ΗΛΥΘΕΣ. ΟΤΚ. ΑΒΟΑΤΟΣ. ΕΝΙ. ΤΡΙΣΣΑΙΣ. ΔΕΚΑΔΕΣΣΙΝ.
ΘΕΥΔΟΤΕ. ΤΑΝ. ΖΩΟΙΣ. ΟΙΜΑΝ. ΟΦΕΙΛΟΜΕΝΑΝ.
ΚΑΙ. ΣΕ. ΤΟΝ. ΕΝ. ΣΠΙΝΔΑΙΣΙ. ΓΕΓΑΘΟΤΑ. ΠΟΥΛΤ. ΜΕΤ.
ΜΑΤΗΡ. ΑΙΑΖΕΙ. ΜΤΡΟΜΕΝΑ. ΠΡΥΤΑΝΙΝ. (ΑΣΤΩΝ.
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ΑΣΦΑΛΕΣ. ΑΝΘΡΩΠΟΙΣ. ΟΤΘΕΝ. ΕΝΕΙΜΕ. ΤΤΧΑ.
ΕΙΗΣ. ΤΟΙ. ΣΥΜ. ΠΑΤΡΙ. ΚΕΧΑΡΜΕΝΟΣ. ΟΦΡΑΝ. ΕΣ. ΑΨΩ .
ΣΩΣΤΡΑΤΟΣ. ΕΝ. ΦΘΙΜΕΝΟΙΣ. ΜΥΡΙΟΝ. ΑΙΝΟΝ. ΕΧΗ.

MAY iii.

MR. *Vandeput*, Dr. *Cockburn's* youngest son, and myself, hire a couple of chaises, and make a journey into *North Holland*. We pass *Monnikedam*, the *Beemster*, and so to *Ackmair*; where we observe the beautiful and clean streets, the stadthouse, the church, and noble picture there of the year 1504, the delightful woods, and artificial walks. We return that night, but not without being imposed on by the owner of our chaises.

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MAY

MAY xi.

HAVING continued thus long at *Amsterdam*, enjoying the company of my good friends, and amusing my self with the variety of entertainments, which this place affords to strangers, I now depart for *Naerden* in the *treck sikhuyt* by the way of *Muyden*, whither I am kindly accompanied by Mr. *Le Jolle*. There I arrive by two a clock, and having viewed that compleat and compact fortification, I depart at six in a post chaise for *Utrecht*, where I arrive by nine, and lodge without the gate. In the morning I repair to Mr *Foley*, and am by him invited to lodge in his apartment. He carried me to visit *Holthenus*, a learned divine and minister of the place, who had then the care of the new edition of *Gruter*; and has a good collection of coins, among which was observable *Nerva* of the largest size, the reverse a palm tree, with the legend **FISCI IVDAICI CALVMNIA ABLATA.**

MAY xiv.

MR. *Foley* and my self hire a traveling chaife and pair at *Utrecht*, with which we proceed to *Amerford*, and from thence to the King's house at *Loo*, where we arrive by three a clock in the afternoon. And upon our return to *Utrecht* the day following, I begin to think of *England*, and accordingly prepare my self for a voyage by the first convenient passage.





To the Reverend Dr. THOMAS TURNER.

REVEREND SIR,

YOUR great goodness will excuse the tardiness of this letter, when I assure you, that I have been long ambitious of collecting any thing, that might deserve your notice; tho hitherto I have been successless in that desire. Many things indeed have occurred observable to me; but I could not hope at the same time, that they might appear such to you. For it is common with unexperienced travelers to be transported with pleasure and admiration, when their accounts are not able to raise the same affections in their friends; either because they converse with men of better judgment, or because the most valuable relations must needs be heard with a greater coldness, than the things were seen. But notwithstanding these discouragements, I have lately looked back upon my *Journal*, to see if any thing might there appear remarkable at this distance; and tho a short voyage by sea must be barren of all real curiosity, yet for the subject of this letter I shall now trouble you with some of the things, which I observed at *Cadiz*, *Messina*, and *Milo*, the three only places, where we touched in our passage hither.

IN *Cadiz*, as in most other parts of the Spanish dominions, there is nothing very curious, but in their churches or convents; and this, when once seen, is to be deplored, rather than admired. For when you first come into the town, you are not so much struck with a face of religion, as with the notion of a certain politic game, where the priests are soon discovered to be the only winners. Since in the whole place there is nothing fat and well favoured, but the clergy. The rest of the inhabitants appear meagre, wan, and melancholy, being mostly employed either in repairing to mass, or returning from it; sometimes counting their beads, and at other times perhaps lugging an heavy Saint in their arms. And therefore, were they not supported under this condition by a certain natural pride, which is fed partly with the real history of their former state, and partly with a romantic imagination of their present grandeur; they would soon become so sensible of their slavish poverty and superstition, as either to break their own hearts, or that yoke, which oppresses them.

THERE are several religious houses in this city, one of Franciscans, another of Dominicans, a third of Augustins, and a fourth of Capuchins; besides some nunneries, and a fifth convent called the *Mercy*, being founded for the redemption of Christian slaves. There is likewise an hospital, named the *Hospital of St. John of God*; where we saw a large and decent infirmary for sick and wounded persons, whether natives or foreigners. There is nothing much remarkable in these places, besides the altar pieces of their chapels, which are every where gaudily and richly furnished; but those particularly of the cathedral church, and Dominican convent, are adorned with tables of wrought and massy silver. On the walls is seen abundance of painting and imagery, the device of which is for the most part offensive, or ridiculous. An instance of the latter was the picture of *St. Michael*, with a pair of scales in his hand, weighing the merits of departed saints: of the former, the pourtraiure of *God the Father*, in the shape of an *old man*; with many other blasphemous representations of the *Trinity*. Either in their vestries, or their chapels, there is commonly the *Saint* of their order pourtrayed at large, in a gaudy habit, and inclosed in a cage of glas. Other lesser images of Saints they expose in holes of the wall, where it faces the town; and to these the devout part of the people 'pay their several occasional oraisons, as they pass the streets. This large multitude of altars and saints, which every where appears at *Cadiz*, could not but remind me of what the priestes in *Petronius* sais: *Utique nostra regio tam praesentibus plena est numinibus, ut facilius possis deum, quam hominem invenire*'. But not to tire your patience with the many odd picces of superstition, which occur in every corner of the city, I shall give you a relish of the whole in the two following instances.

THE first of these is a specious inscription over the entrance to a private house, occasioned by the following accident. In a late solemn procession upon *Corpus Christi* day there happened a storm of rain, which was in danger of offering some disrespect to the host; and therefore they thought convenient to give it shelter in the next house, they could step into. Among these zealous people this was construed such a blessing to the man and his family, that the house is ever since looked upon as sacred; and the owner has been at a considerable charge to erect a pair of marble pillars at the entrance into his porch, adorned with carving, and inscribed after this magnificent manner: "That in the year 1691,

Cap. 17.

Innocent

"Innocent XII being Pope, Charles II King of Spain, Buzzia Bishop of Cadiz, and Don Velasco governor of the same Herculean city." *Cum arca vera, panem angelicum carnem factum continens, triumphali processionis pompa, die festo Dominie Corporis deducatur, et, saeviente turline, in reverentiae periculum immuneret; harum aedium dominus, Didacus de Barrias, exitit obviam absconditae majestati, et fidei Centurionis aemulus procidit, indignum se proficiens, cuius teclum Dominus subiret, eumque honorifice in oratorio suo suscipere meruit. Quare, Deo favente, sacra catholica majestas cooperari volens domini hunc praeeminentiae praerogativam concessit, etc.* This accident has rendered *Didacus de Barrias* a mere Saint, and his house a most inviolable sanctuary, in the esteem of the poor Spaniards. Tho our English merchants well know him to be a rank Jew, who being therefore liable to death by the law of Spain, was always forced to live under disguise, and now gladly embraced this opportunity of passing for a zealot. The Jews indeed have formerly been very insolent in Spain. One of the last instances of which was a certain indignity of a shoemaker, who buried a crucifix under the place, where his customers tried on their shoes, that by this stratagem he might oblige Christians to stamp upon the cross. But this nation being since banished that kingdom under the pain of the severest death, they, who still covertly remain so, are obliged to profess themselves of the popish faith, which they can do without any great regret; it being easy to be of two religions, where both consist only in external show and ceremonies.

THE other memorable piecee of superstition is to be observed in the convent of the Capuchin friery, who within these three years have acquired an extraordinary esteem, by means of a certain lady, who acknowledged herself cured of a dangerous malady by virtue of their intercession. This was an hint, whieh they thought very improvable; and have therefore since set up for such a stock of merit, that their cloister is already filled with waxen figures of legs, arms, heads, women's breasts, and other offerings, of so many maimed and distempered persons, whom these Saints have restored by their peculiar interest in heaven. One particularly, who was indebted to them for a more than ordinary blessing, has erected a stately monument on that account, before the entrance into their convent. It is an handsome Ionie pillar, made of white marble, inrailed with a large square of stone, in the front of which is a crucifix, and an image of the *Virgin*, under the title of the

Triumphant

Triumphant Lady. And this new figure is already become such an idol, that the zealous gosslips of the town will often approach it upon their knees, at near the distance of a furlong.

HAVING been detained about a week at *Cadiz*, we set sail October 11, 1699, and by the favour of a fortunate west wind were advaneed within nine days near the entrance of the *Faro* of *Messina*; where we lay becalmed two or three days, under the island of *Stromboli*, as after our departure from *Messina* we did likewise under mount *Aetna*. Each of these was an opportunity of entertaining our sight with the dreadful curiosit of those burning mountains; where we observed the *crater* of both to cast up a continued pillar of smoke, and at repeated distances a terrible red blaze of fire. Afterwards being favoured with a gentle gale, a pilot came from the city to steer us thro the difficult strait of *Scylla* and *Charybdis*. Here I was curious to observe the situation of these plaees, especially because the latter is used in a confused and uncertain sens in classic authors. But upon a diligent view of the placee it self, and a comparifon of some clear expressions in antiquity, the best judgment I could form of it was this, which follows. In *Thucydides*¹, and other good historians, *Charybdis* signifies the whole strait betwixt *Sicily* and *Calabria*; but in *Homer*², *Virgil*³, and other poets, it is restrained to that peculiar whirlpool, which flows under the opposite rock of *Scylla*. Betwixt these two we found the eurrent so various, that our ship was obliged to stand five or six different ways in a few minutes failing; and at the same time it was surprizing to hear the waves bubble in a continued hideous noise, well expressed in the poets by the barking of dogs round the bowels of *Scylla*.

As we lay at anehor at *Messina*, we were prefented with a delightful landskip, which the narrow winding of the *Faro*, the verdure of the opposite shores, the wall, the citadel, and town itself afforded. The front of the whole city is one continued pile of buildings, extending three quarters of a mile in length, from the Vieeroy's house to that called the *French bastion*. It intirely consists of free stone, being raised four story high, adorned with earved windows, balconies, battlements, and other ornaments, all answering to each other with an exact regularity. No house has any doors to the sea, but the entrance is at large gates, which front so many streets

¹ Lib. iv. parag. 24. : ² Odyss. M. §. 235. ³ Aen. iii. §. 420.

of the city, placed at equal distances, and each of them inscribed with some religious device. This range is contrived, as for ornament, so likewise for defence; it being at the bottom of a prodigious thickness, so as to withstand a siege, and decreasing proportionably towards the top. The whole running in a bend, which is every where equidistant from the sea, represents a curvilinear amphitheatre. The inner part of the city does not answer to this magnificence of the front; tho there often occur many single pieces of great art and curiosity. Such as the *King's statue* on horseback, exactly resembling that of our late King *Charles* at *Windsor*. The *Statue of Don John of Austria*, in memory of the victory obtained by him at *Lepanto* in 1571. The beautiful structure of a public *fountain*, adorned at the bottom with four large and masterly figures, representing *Nilus*, *Iberus*, *Tiber*, and *Euripus*. But more curious than the rest is a figure of *Neptune* on the mole, cast in solid brass, and attended on each side with two very natural representations of the monsters *Scylla* and *Charybdis*.

BUT it was no entertainment to observe these, as deplorable to see, what St. *Paul* bewailed at *Athens*, a city wholly given to idolatry and superstition. It affords a melancholy consideration to any serious spectator, to be witness to so many vain and hypocritical addresses made to the images and altars, which abound in this deluded place. For this brings the like scandal upon Christianity, as was no offensive under the rankest heathenism, and too truly exposes the subjects of it to that derision of *Lucretius*:

*Nec pietas ulla est velatum saepe videri
Vertier ad lapidem, et quascunque accedere ad aras*¹.

They are here furnished with nunneries and monasteries to the number of sixty odd, most of which are loftily built, and add the greatest grace to the structure of the city. In the college of *St. Nicholas* I observed the pictures of our five *Jesuits*, who were executed for the popish plot, with a specious account when, and how, they were crowned with martyrdom for the profession of the faith in *England*. In the nunnery of *Sta. Maria della Scala* they shew a stone sculpture of the *Virgin* and our *Savior*, which they verily believe to have been taken from the life. In the cathedral church there are twelve noble figures of the *Apostles*, exquisitely carved in clear and

¹ *Lib. v. §. 1197.*

costly

costly marble. The isle, which composes the body of the church, is ranged on each side with thirteen stately pillars, twelve of which are antient of the Corinthian order, brought formerly from a temple of *Neptune*, that stood near the promontory *Pelorus*. There are here three gaudy altars, that want nothing, which art or expence could contribute to adorn them; for below they are set with work of *lapis lazuli*, and above are covered with cupolas of true mosaic. But over the high altar, at the east end of the cathedral, is preserved in golden characters, and imbellished with a rich variety of other ornaments, one of the greatest delusions in all popery. It is a letter, which according to the tradition of this church was sent to the *Messanians* by the *B. Virgin*, upon their conversion by St. Paul, soon after he touched at *Rhegium*. It is reasonably concise, and therefore I shall venture to trouble you with the words, as faithfully transcribed.

*Maria Virgo, Joachim filia, Dei humillima, Christi Iesu crucifixi
mater, ex tribu Juda, stirpe David, Messanensibus omnibus
salutem, et Dei Patris Omnipotentis benedictionem.*

*VOS omnes fide magna legatos ac nuncios per publicum docu-
mentum ad nos misisse constat. Filium nostrum, Dei genitum, Deum
et hominem esse fatemini, et in caelum post suam resurrectionem
ascendisse, Pauli Apostoli electi praedicatione mediante, viam veri-
tatis agnoscentes. Ob quod vos et ipsam civitatem benedicimus,
cujus perpetuam protectricem nos esse volimus. Anno Filii nostri
XLII. Ind. 1. 3 nonas Junii. Luna XXVII. v. Ex Hicrosolymis.*

MARIA VIRGO.

Quae supra hoc chirographum approbavit.

You see, that he, who had the impudence to forge this imposture, had likewise the stupidity to date it by two epochas, the latter of which did not commence before the reign of *Constantine the Great*, and the former not till that of *Justinian*. The Hebrew original they confess not to be now extant. And as to this, which they call the authentic translation, it would be impossible to beleive them serious in venting so foul a cheat; but that they pompously expose it to all the world in their metropolitan church, and celebrate it by a yearly feast, and public rejoicings of a whole month's continuance; that it has been confirmed by repeated indulgences from the court of *Rome*; and that at the west end of the church there are divers solemn inscriptions, importing, that in some general calamities

calamities of *Sicily*, there particularly specified, the *Virgin* still protected her *Messina*, according to her most faithful promise in the *Holy Letter*. This naturally brings to one's mind the antient devotion of the same place towards *Ceres* and *Proserpina*, as mentioned by *Cicero*, when he says: *Vetus est haec opinio, quae constat ex antiquissimis Graecorum literis et monumentis, insulam Siciliam totam esse Cereri et Proserpinae consecratam. Hoc cum ceterae gentes sic arbitrantur; tum ipsis Siculis tam persuasum est, ut animis eorum insitum et innatum esse videatur*¹. It is to be wondered at, that these people have not yet registered an accident, of which as to the fact our English merchants were eye witnesses, namely; that in the late repeated earthquakes of *Sicily* in 1693 the tower of this cathedral, which stands at the west end distinct from the body of the church, was so distorted by one shock, that it stood very dangerously in an oblique declining posture; but that about a week afterwards another shock restored it to its former true perpendicular situation.

AFTER five days spent in viewing these and other curiosities of *Messina*, we set sail the thirtieth of October, and by the ninth of the next month were obliged by contrary winds to stand into the port of *Milo*. This isle, known to the antients by the name of *Melos*, and esteemed the largest of all the *Cyclades*, is deservedly famous for its fair and commodious harbour; which entring at a narrow chanel afterwards enlarges itself circularly into a lake, rather than a bay; being always calm, and spacious enough to receive a fleet of an hundred and fifty sail. I went ashore at this place with the greater satisfaction, considering that among other antiquities it lays claim to *Socrates* and *Aristophanes*. It has a city of the same name, inhabited at present, like the other islands of the *Archipelago*, chiefly by Greek Christians, who have been burthened in the late war by a cruel tax of sixteen thousand dollars to the Venetians, as well as to the Turks; but by the benefit of the present peace, as its tribute to the former wholly ceases, so that to the latter is much mitigated. It is observable, that in every cultivated feild about the town, there stands a small Greek chapel, constantly adorned with the painted images of the *Virgin* and *St. George*; and thither the zealous women of the place often retire with a priest, to say some supererogatory masses for the benefit of their

¹ *In Verr. iv. cap. 48.*

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private relations, whether dead or living. In a cave on the island there is a natural hot bath, which has proved very successful in many malignant maladies. Walking on the strand I observed another of the same nature, like that of *Licinius Crassus*, mentioned by Pliny, *Lib. xxxi. cap. 2.* The heat of this was so great, that I could not bear to keep my hand in it. The same shore affords a vein of black sand, of which we there gathered a quantity very clear and beautiful for the use of writing.

AFTER a stop of four or five days at *Milo*, we had a very entertaining passage thro the isles of the *Archipelago*, and on the nineteenth of the same month arrived, by God's providence, in good health at *Smyrna*; where I often remember, how many ways I stand indebted to you, which will be always gratefully acknowledged by,

Reverend Sir,

Smyrna,
June 13, 1700.

Your etc.

E. CHISHULP.

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108.	9.	<i>Glychenſberg</i> .
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142.	20.	by.
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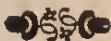
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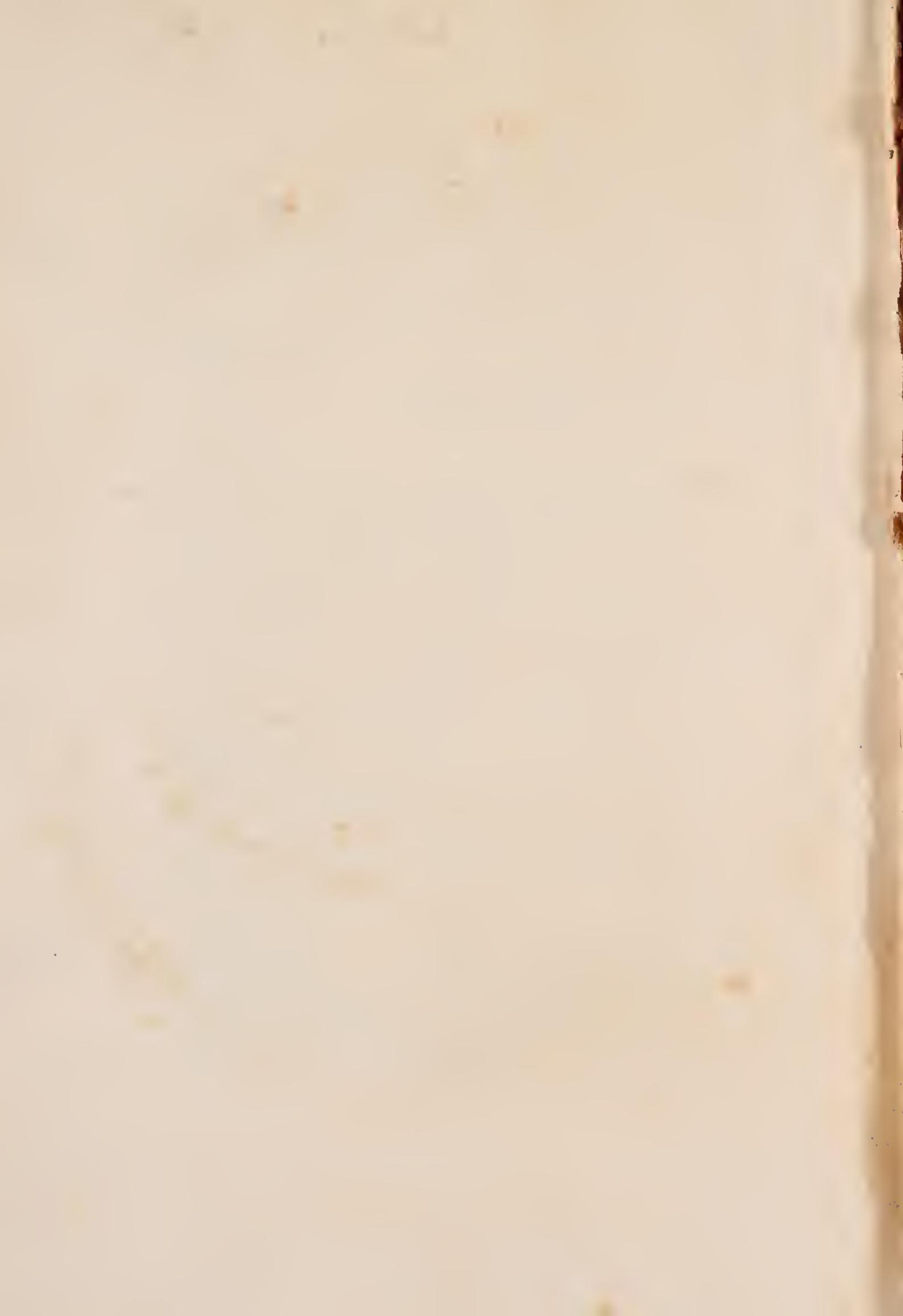
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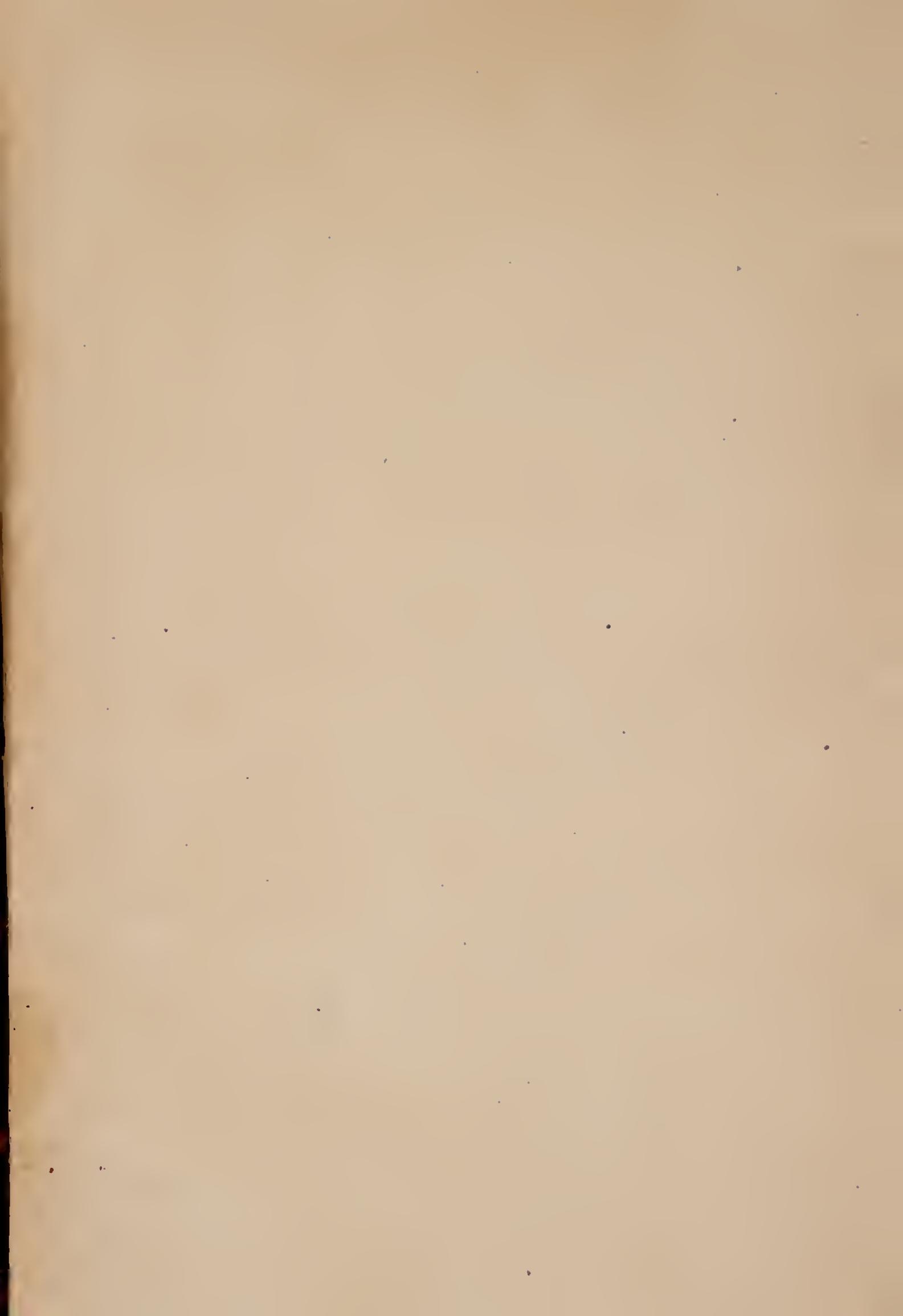








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